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## THE FRONT COVER

An old scene from a new angle—the Alumni Memorial Auditorium. And of course there's the inevitable boy and girl. The picture was taken by George M. Craven, a photography major from Orelan, Pa.

## From the Editor's Desk . . .

THE ELECTION by the Alumni Council of Carr Liggett, '16, to head the Ohio University Alumni Association for 1951-52 was a fitting and deserved recognition of a man who over a rather long span of years has not only had an interest in his alma mater, but who on frequent occasions has demonstrated that interest.

Mr. Liggett has participated in all phases of organized alumni activities—local club work, committee work, Ohio University Fund development, university promotion with prospective students, and in a general, all-round encouragement of the efforts of other alumni workers. To his new office he brings a first-hand knowledge of "what gives," a realistic appreciation of the problems involved in alumni work, a belief that Ohio University men and women will respond to energetic leadership, and a determination to see things accomplished.

Let's all wish him well in his efforts and join in a pledge of allegiance to him and the cause that he represents, which is *Ohio University*.

THE EDITOR is happy to give the remainder of this column to a greeting which President Liggett directs to—

Dear Fellow Alumni:

As our more literary ancestors would have said, I am indeed sensible of the honor bestowed on me by the Alumni Council in electing me president of the Ohio University Alumni Association. But the only way for me to try to deserve it is to regard it as a job and to get to work.

I'll need to if I'm to live up to the new presidential standards set by Grosvenor McKee, my predecessor. He has accomplished a real rejuvenation of the Association. Under his leadership, with the able assistance of Clark Williams and Marty Hecht, and with the strong backing of President Baker, the Association now has gained widespread interest, spunk and energy. Things are happening. The Alumni Council has been formed and is already planning and performing. Membership is up, local Bobcat and Women's Clubs are growing in number and size, and even in communities where there are too few for formal organization there's a new enthusiasm.

Of course, neither Grosvenor nor I, nor the other association officers and staff members kid ourselves that we did it all with our little hatchets. The fact is that the great renaissance of Ohio University under John C. Baker happened ahead of the Association's awakening, which came as a natural effect. If any of you have the slightest doubt that your Alma Mater is now well on the way to becoming one of the finest small universities in the country, you'd better get down to Athens quickly and discover what remarkable reasons you have for being proud you're an alumnus. You'll have the time of your life.

I have no revolutionary program to propose to you. But here are a few of the things I think the association should work at this year.

1. Campaign for more alumni in the association, paying dues to support the work, reading *The Ohio Alumnus*, being active in local groups and their projects.

2. Stepped-up action in organizing Bobcat and Women's Clubs wherever there are enough alumni to justify it. Marty Hecht has been doing a wonderful job of this. We now have a total of 31 such alumni organizations.

3. Give such alumni clubs still better program help from the campus.

4. Get the Ohio University Fund and the Association more closely integrated so each can help the other and the University more effectively.

5. Give local alumni clubs specific jobs to do, particularly in the field of scholarships. More of this in the January issue of *The Ohio Alumnus* if I can browbeat the editors out of the space.

6. Begin to build up alumni interest in and desire to help promote the Sesquicentennial of Ohio University in 1954. More on that, too, later.

I ask you for your help—not for me or the other officers, but for the Association and through it for the University. You'll find it very interesting. Keep tuned in. And thanks in advance for your good co-operation.

Sincerely,  
Carr Liggett



LATE IN THE AFTERNOON of Thursday, November 15 a big blue and white bus eased into the Athens bus station. Out scrambled several youngsters, luggage in hand. They gazed around uncertainly.

Then the uncertainty was gone as a young man from Alpha Phi Omega, men's service fraternity at Ohio University, spotted the new arrivals and hurried up.

"Are you the students taking the Ohio History exam?" At the affirmative nod he continued, "I'm Bill Watkins and I'm here to show you the sights. All set, let's go."

And so the vanguard of the fifth annual Ohio History, Government, and Citizenship Awards Competition had arrived in Athens for the final examination to be held at 3 p.m. the following day.

These were the first of the students who had qualified for the finals by finishing on top in their respective counties, or by being selected as one of the 10 at-large winners. Actually 78 counties of Ohio's 88, participated this year, a record number. This, plus the 10 at-large contestants and four others who had tie scores, made a total of 92 of Ohio's best high school students.

To qualify, these 92 youngsters, along with some 5,000 other high school juniors and seniors, had taken a preliminary examination of 100 questions on October 18. To be chosen one of the winners from this select group was quite an honor, especially when the test itself was considered.

How many persons are likely to know where the first electric street railway in the United States was located, or what is the best-known and most valuable breed of swine originated in Ohio, or what are the ways to relieve traffic congestion in built-up areas? The difficulty of the examination is attested to by the fact that the state winner, Donald Beverly of the Boys Industrial School at Lancaster, answered but 77 of the 100 questions correctly.

It is, of course, the final test itself that is the high spot of the three-day, all-expense paid visit to Ohio University. Held this year on November 16 from 3 to 4 p.m., the test was approached with more than a little fear and trepidation.

Not that the preliminary tests had



Photo by Robert Bender, '51

CHEMISTRY AUDITORIUM IS SCENE OF FINAL TEST

Dr. R. H. Gusteson is one of some 50 faculty members who help

## Tomorrow's Better Citizens

By Laurie Schultz, '52

been easy, but they were at least objective and administered in the friendly, familiar confines of the student's own school. This exam, however, was of the essay variety which required not only a lot of thought, but also the ability to state these thoughts in concise, correct terms, and under the pressure of time limit.

Prepared by C. William O'Neill, Ohio's attorney general; R. M. Eyman, assistant superintendent of instruction of the state department of education; and Mayor Albert D. Cash of Cincinnati, the questions included such stumpers as "List three changes related to state government which you think should be made in the constitution and support one of your proposals," and "Describe three groups that took part in the development of Ohio."

Grading began immediately upon completion of the test so that the winners would be known by 10:30 a.m. Saturday for the final general assembly. The papers were marked not only on the

basis of accuracy and completeness, but also on expression, style, punctuation, and grammar. By the time the winners had been selected each question on each paper had been checked by at least four professors to insure fairness and completeness of grading.

This year's first place winner of \$100 was Carol Ann Herron of Dennison. Second was Gerald S. Hawley of Toledo Libbey, who was awarded \$50. Twenty-five dollars and third place went to Amelia Quinby of Wooster.

It took years of careful planning and cooperation to insure the Ohio History exams the success they have today. The notion of such a competition was first conceived as part of the Cutler Hall rededication ceremonies in 1947.

"We were attempting to encourage the study of history and citizenship in an informal atmosphere," explains Prof. Carl Roberts, '27, present director of the event. "Since not too many high schools offer complete courses in Ohio history and citizenship, this means the participants will likely have to do a little extra studying on their own if they desire to make a good showing."

"Naturally such study will stimulate students and help them to become better-informed citizens and voters," Professor Roberts continues.

Present at the first competition at Ohio University was former-Governor Thomas J. Herbert, who was so im-

**Ohio University Fund-Supported Ohio History, Government, and Citizenship Awards Competition helps today's high school students become better-informed citizens of tomorrow**

pressed that he enthusiastically recommended that the event be made an annual one.

The public relations value of the event is immense. Not only those participating but their parents and friends, the persons who read about it in the papers, those who hear its merits extolled secondhand, all show a definite interest in the test and the school where it is held. It brings 100 top students to Athens each year to witness first hand the educational benefits offered. That this has proved effective is reflected in some of the spontaneous reactions of the students themselves.

As one said, "I wish to thank you for giving me the complete picture of college life that can only be obtained by actually living with the students. I liked the tone of the picture. I feel that I am ready, after this wonderful experience, to go out to college confident of myself."

"But we had to lay a solid foundation to build on," Dr. Roberts points out. "This wasn't something to be rushed into. First, we had to get the support of the Ohio University students, for without their cooperation, development would have been very difficult."

That cooperation has been obtained is very evident today. Altogether some 200 students and 50 faculty members take an active part in conducting the event and they do so with the good wishes of every other student and teacher.

As one visiting high school student put it: "Everyone at Athens with whom we came in contact was so considerate and helpful to us that we certainly

enjoyed ourselves and felt right at home."

Members of Chimes and Alpha Phi Omega meet the contestants at the bus and train stations and take them to the information booth at the Main Gateway to register. Later, members of these two groups plus others from Kappa Delta Pi take the high school students on tours of the campus.

Students cooperate in making rooms available in dormitories, fraternities, and sororities. The contestants this year were welcomed by Rush Elliott, Dean of the University College. President Baker also addressed them, and they attended a dinner meeting at Lindley Hall presided over by Prof. Clinton Mackinnon, at which time music was provided by the Men's Glee Club under the direction of Prof. Philip Peterson.

"I find it hard to find a stopping place when I try to tell of all the things we did and the fun we had," explained one student.

The present competition is supported by the Ohio University Fund, Inc., and is sponsored jointly by the State Department of Education, the Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society and the Ohio Development and Publicity Commission.

An important improvement to be instituted next year, according to Professor Roberts, will be the determining of each contestant's major field of interest and then assigning him to a faculty advisor in that field. In this way he will be able to get the maximum amount of information concerning a possible college major and life's work.

Even better things are being developed. More tours, more activities, and more guidance is being planned for the future for the groups of youngsters who, when asked what they'd like to do invariably reply, "Everything." That's a big order, but steps are being taken to carry it into practice for "tomorrow's better citizens."

## Alumni PR Meeting Hears New York Report

THE REPORT of the New York section of the Alumni Public Relations Committee featured the recent campus meeting of the committee. The New York report was presented by Thomas Slater, '30x, vice president of Ruthrauff & Ryan, Inc. Also from New York was committee member John Whiting, '36, publisher of *Flower Grower*.

Other members of the committee in the New York section are John M. Taylor, '44, with the Borden Company; Harry Waddell, '33, editor of *Factory Management*; Julian M. Snyder, '22, vice president of Erwin, Wasey & Co.; and Anne Saum, '27, of Anne Saum and Associates.

Besides the two members from New York, Daniel Wertman, '39, of the *Cleveland News*; William F. Smiley, '27, of Columbus, director of information department, The Ohio Fuel Gas Co.; and Carr Liggett, '16, of Cleveland, head of Carr Liggett Advertising, Inc., were present.

The committee discussed the University's public relations program generally and the preliminary plans for the Sesquicentennial.

Members of the faculty and administrative staff at the meeting were President Baker, Profs. Vincent Jukes, '30, C. N. Mackinnon, and George Starr Lasher; A. C. Gubitz, director of off-campus relations; B. T. Grover, '19, assistant to the president; Clark E. Williams, '21, alumni secretary; Martin L. Hecht, '46, associate alumni secretary; E. S. Sherow, '29, director of the news bureau; and Robert W. McCreanor, '48, M.S. '49.

**SHOWN IN THE PICTURE** with some of the officials who participated in the award ceremony are the ten money award winners in this year's Ohio history, government, and citizenship examination. Left to right, front row: Nancy Ann Little, of Grand Valley High, Ashtabulo County; Joanne Clare Stinson, of West Franklin High, Summit County; Amelia Quinby, of Waoster High, Wayne County, third place winner of \$25; Janette Gerding, of Sts. Peter and Paul High, Putnam County; Carita Hopper, of Walnut Hills High, Hamilton County; and Carol Ann Herron, of Dennison High, Tuscarawas County, first place winner of \$100.

Back row, left to right: John D. Blockford, superintendent of Mariemont Public Schools and president of the Ohio Education Association, who gave the awards address; Jon Hopner, of Hillsboro High, Highland County; Paul M. Moore of Goshen Rural High, Clermont County; Roger Dale Wood, of Bethesda High, Belmont County; Dr. George Kobat, dean of the College of Education; Gerald S. Hawley, of Toledo Libbey High, Lucas County, second place winner of \$50; and President Baker.

All not listed as one of the first three winners received \$10 awards. All final contestants and their schools received certificates of recognition from the University. Certificates are also awarded to contestants and schools for being the county or at-large winners.



FOR THE TOP TEN, MONEY AWARDS  
for all, encouragement to study history and citizenship

PRESIDENT JOHN C. BAKER called upon the Mid-American Conference "to grow up and assume real responsibility" or be discontinued, in an address at the annual banquet for the Ohio University football squads held December 4 at Scott Quadrangle.

Participating with the University in honoring the gridiron men this year were members of the Athens Quarterback Club.

In the principal address of the evening, the president paid tribute to the 1951 Bobcats as "a great team." He cited the sportsmanship and conduct as well as the skill of its members and declared that they "have brought honor to the University."

Dr. Baker then proceeded to question the policies of the athletic organization of which Ohio University is a member and stated frankly that "the Trustees and I are concerned about the entire program and will insist in the years ahead that we play in a conference and compete with teams which have the same objectives and standards that we have."

Ohio University is a charter member of the Mid-American Conference, successor to the old Buckeye Conference. Other members are Cincinnati, Miami, Western Michigan, Toledo, Kent State, and Western Michigan, with Bowling Green and Marshall under consideration for future membership.

Outlining some of the "planks which should be in any platform for a successful conference," President Baker declared that:

1. A conference should exist for the benefit of all members, and be based on good will, cooperation and trust.
2. A conference should have power to investigate and adjudicate.
3. A conference should favor full disclosure and be made up of members willing to place on the table all information on any subject relating to athletics.
4. A conference should emphasize the educational development and welfare of each individual player, and not

## *President Baker cites faults of intercollegiate athletics generally, and calls on Mid-American Conference to . . .*

# Change Ways or Disband

emphasize mass entertainment and the winning of games at all cost.

5. A conference should be willing to limit all team appearances to college athletic facilities.

6. A conference should insist that the control of athletics should, like the control of the curriculum, be under the supervision of the administration and the university. This does not mean that it is a trustee or alumni matter, but handled like any other educational problem in a university.

7. A conference should have a policy favoring the publication in catalogues of all aid or other arrangements made available to athletes as they would to any other students.

8. This conference should also be willing to devise and support many detailed regulations such as educational standards applying to the admission of athletes and others, the educational requirements for eligibility, a common method of handling discipline cases, regulations for the disqualification of players if they persisted in unsportsmanlike practices, and many other similar matters.

Indicating a belief that it would not be necessary to discontinue football and all intercollegiate athletics, the president said, "So far as I can see personally, there is little wrong with collegiate athletics provided they are properly run."

He pointed out that "intercollegiate athletics are no longer hidden behind ivory walls or hallowed by college traditions . . . they have now become a social and economic problem endowed with wide public interest."

The present crisis has come about, the president said, "because of neglect, bad policies, over-emphasis interfering with students' work; pressure to win at all costs; failure of reasonable programs among many institutions; the abuses of all kinds now being revealed, dishonesty, subterfuge, gambling, and the fact that the program in some cases has become a travesty on real education; the need for integrity among students who will be our leaders in the future, and the shocking lack of it among certain public officials today. Such headlines as 'Foot-

ball Star, Age 22, Dead in Dormitory,' irrespective of the cause, merely adds fuel to the fire. One of the worst features is the distrust created among colleges."

Athletes themselves and those who have given loyal support to athletic programs in the past are among those who are starting to question certain phases of the conduct of athletics today, the president stated. They believe that too much emphasis on sports interferes with a student's educational program and perhaps his entire career in life. A greater significance, also, is being attached to grades.

"Underneath all these personal reasons why over-emphasis of athletics and a neglect of individual educational success has come to the front is the underlying one relating to integrity. From the very founding of this nation, it has been our belief that 'the thread that runs so true through all education is integrity' and that from educational institutions will come those leaders of character and wisdom who will perpetuate our great principles," said the president.

"If any athletic program runs counter to this concept of basic integrity, then it is only a question of years until society will be forced to take steps in a drastic way to correct such an athletic program. As some say, 'If there isn't integrity in college, where can we find it?' There's no reason in this world why our students should be better than the principles and policies of their own institutions. One of the very great issues before the nation today is the integrity of leaders in high places.

"If we can't have integrity in college, we will fail sooner or later as a democratic nation."

Of coaches, the president said: "Their integrity must be unquestioned, as coaches have great influence on players, and athletes have a definite influence on the character of the entire student body. It seems to me that the first requirement of any coach is this: Is he a man of character who would set a good example for those who work with him?"

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AT A MEETING of presidents, faculty representatives, and athletic directors of schools in the Mid-American Athletic Conference held in Toledo, December 8, a committee of three presidents of member schools was appointed to study the organization and scope of the conference as well as the policy governing the conduct of inter-collegiate competition at each member institution.

The committee, to be headed by President Asa S. Knowles of Toledo University, also includes Dr. John C. Baker of Ohio University, and Dr. Walter Roudebush, vice president of Miami University. Mr. Roudebush attended the meeting in the place of Miami's president, Dr. E. H. Hohne, who is ill.



WHEN THE Frederick Gardner Cottrell Foundation of Research Corporation selects a university or college to participate in its research program, you can be sure that the department in which the research is to be conducted is well-established and contains first-rate facilities. And you can be even more certain that its faculty is rated highly and that it especially is a faculty with young scientists of vision who have an intense desire to contribute through research to their fields.

Ohio University's Department of Chemistry has received four grants from the Cottrell Foundation in the past three years.

Three of the research projects set up by the grants are currently underway. One is an investigation of the viscosities of solutions of alkali salts, another is a study of decarboxylation reaction, and the third deals with heterogeneous kinetics. The fourth project, terminated last year, studied new insecticidal compounds of the polychloro nitro paraffin type.

The Cottrell Foundation is a monument to a young teacher of science of 40 years ago. Frederick Gardner Cottrell conceived and founded Research Corporation, a non-profit organization, in 1912 as an agency of support and encouragement for research. He endowed it with his ideals and certain valuable patent rights in the field of electrical precipitation. The corporation has grown steadily, nurtured by philanthropists and scientists like its founder.

Throughout the life of Research Corporation emphasis has been on aid

## New Impetus Given Chemical Research

### Department of Chemistry broadens research program with aid from Cottrell Foundation

to young scientists. Especially is this true of the Cottrell Foundation, which was set up to honor the parent organization's founder, who died in 1948. It specifically obeys his admonishment to "bet on the youngsters."

The Foundation furnishes the funds for the procurement of equipment, apparatus, supplies, and such assistance as fellowships. Equipment and apparatus purchased for a project remains the property of the institution after the research is completed.

Success of the program in a university implies a pre-conceived desire on the part of the school to establish or maintain a research tradition. While a Cottrell grant may continue over a two or three year period, it is best defined as an initiator of research and not a continuing support.

The Cottrell grants, established late in 1945 had as an objective the revitalizing of fundamental research, which wartime conditions had brought to a

virtual standstill. All of the Ohio University projects fit into this meaning, aspiring to contribute to the store of basic knowledge in their fields.

The viscosity study is under the supervision of Dr. L. P. Eblin, '31, professor of chemistry. Dr. Eblin received his Ph.D. degree from Ohio State University in 1935 and has been a member of the Ohio University faculty 16 years. John Elliott, graduate fellow in chemistry, is working with Dr. Eblin in this investigation of the rate or degree of flow of water or other liquids when certain compounds are dissolved in them.

Such dissolved substances either make the viscosity of the liquid greater or less. More salts (such as blue vitriol, table salt, or Epsom salts) make water more viscous, that is, they cut down the rate of flow of water. But there are a few salts which make the water less viscous, and nobody has offered a completely satisfactory explanation of why.

Dr. Eblin and Mr. Elliott hope to discover some new facts which will help to solve the mystery of why a certain few salts should affect the viscosity of water in exactly the opposite manner to all other salts. And they want to establish for a certainty which salts do have this "negative viscosity" affect and what happens if two or more salts are present at once.

Equipment for the project is centered around a constant temperature bath, an apparatus made especially for viscosity work. Keeping the temperature fixed is of primary importance—witness how much more rapidly molasses flows in August than in January.

The project is closely allied to Dr. Eblin's regular teaching program. Each student in physical chemistry learns how to make viscosity measurements, a technique common in industrial laboratories.

Aside from this general teaching function and the expert training it gives Mr. Elliott, the project's objectives are theoretical rather than practical. It hopes to add to chemical science's essential and depleted reservoir of fundamental knowledge. During World War II, efforts along the lines of "applied" science were so extended that the greater



RESEARCHERS ELLIOTT AND EBLIN CHECK CONSTANT TEMPERATURE BATH  
for a depleted reservoir, new fundamental facts



portion of chemical science's reserve knowledge has been used up.

This project in "pure" research is hoping to establish new items of fundamental knowledge which might ultimately prove to be highly important in practical applications. What the project seeks, however, is not a new product or a new process, but new ideas resulting from new facts.

The decarboxylation reaction study is in the realm of physical organic chemistry, a theoretical field in which the University intends to offer course work next semester. There is no immediate practical objective for this study. It is intended simply to help in the understanding of one small point in the broad field of organic chemistry.

Organic acids contain a structural constituent called the carboxyl group. This study involves the removal of this acid-producing structure, the carboxyl group—hence the term decarboxylation. The products formed by decarboxylation are usually neither acidic nor basic, that is, they are neutral.

To understand the why and wherefore of this reaction, it is necessary to study it under varying conditions. One phase of such a study and the current problem is to determine *how* complex groups of atoms within a molecule affect the removal of the acid-producing structure from organic acids.

The progress of such reactions is followed by use of a Beckman Spectrophotometer, an instrument found only in better-equipped chemistry laboratories.

Directing this project is Dr. Fred A. Tate, '47. Dr. Tate, an assistant professor, received his doctoral degree from Harvard University in June, 1951, and joined the Ohio University faculty in September. At Harvard he studied under Prof. Paul D. Bartlett, a leader in the field of physical organic chemistry.

The field of chemistry called kinetics, the area of the third research study now underway, deals with *how fast* chemical reactions take place. By carefully controlled experiments, chemical scientists can figure out the mechanism of a reaction—that is, they can discover just *how* the reacting substances perform their miracle of identity change.

Information thus gained is useful in learning how to make chemicals do what is expected of them—knowledge which leads to cheaper and more efficient methods of production.

Heterogeneous kinetics is the study of the speed of chemical reactions at a surface. "Surface" should be defined here as the meeting point, or juncture, of two liquids that will not mix with each other. For example, if oil and water were placed in a transparent cylinder, you could easily see the meeting place of the two. How fast chemical reaction occurs at this point of meeting of two

## Ohio University Chosen to Sponsor State Economic Education Workshop

**A**N OHIO Workshop on Economic Education, the first of its kind ever held in the state, will be conducted at Ohio University next summer from June 15 to July 3.

Eighty-five representatives of selected city, exempted village and county secondary schools will attend the workshop. This group will include superintendents, supervisors, principals, and teachers, chosen on the basis of leadership, interest, background of experience, and training.

Participants will receive free tuition

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liquids which will not mix is the heart of the investigation.

The problem is so complex that little fundamental theory has been developed. Findings from the present study may open up an entire new field of research. The project has, however, not only high theoretical importance but possible eventual economic and practical application in chemical industry and in medicine.

Dr. Jesse H. Day, who received his doctoral degree from Case Institute of Technology in 1948, is directing the kinetics research. Working with him is graduate student John F. Bates, '51. The project was begun by Paul Bonnell, '50, M.S. '51. Dr. Day, who is editor of *The Journal of the Society of Plastics Engineers*, has done considerable previous research in kinetics and in plastics.

All the projects are giving new impetus to a research tradition in the physical sciences at Ohio University—a tradition sometimes hampered by lack of funds but rarely by a lack of interest or talent. And they are adding in a very real sense to the over-all quality of the Department of Chemistry.

The American Chemical Society accredited the Ohio University Department of Chemistry in 1948, the year of the completion of the new Chemistry Building. This building is well-equipped for the objectives of the department—the offering of quality and quantity training at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. Training is offered in analytical, physical, organic, inorganic, and industrial unit operations and processes, with specialization available within any of those fields.

Chairman of the department is Dr. Don R. Clippinger, who is president of the Upper Ohio Valley Section of the American Chemical Society. Dr. Clippinger, who is also director of the Graduate College, succeeded as head of chemistry Prof. J. R. Morton, '05, M.S. '12.

and room and board during their three-week stay on the campus, through the support of the project by business, labor, and agriculture groups in the state.

The workshop is being sponsored by the University through the College of Education and the Department of Economics in conjunction with the Joint Council on Economic Education. Dr. E. T. Hellebrandt, of the economics department, and Prof. F. H. McKelvey, of the College of Education, are co-directors of the workshop. Other faculty members on the workshop staff are Dr. Forrest Shoemaker, education; Dr. Gilford Crowell, education; and Prof. Fred Picard, economics. Selected instructors from other Ohio universities and colleges will also be on the staff.

Consultants from education, government, industry, labor, agriculture, and research institutions will participate in the three-week program.

The workshop lists four broad objectives: (1) an awareness of problems of economic significance, (2) information for the solution of economic problems, (3) formulation of methods of incorporating an economic understanding in the curriculum and preparation of materials suitable for classroom use, and (4) development of leadership in economic education for local community workshops and projects.

The workshop will focus on the nature of the American system of free enterprise and major social-economic problems involved in it. It will investigate such areas as economic resources, the national economy today, problems of control, basic problems in our economy, international economic problems, and problems of economic education in the schools.

Although new in Ohio, the workshops began in 1948, the first one being held at New York University. The number of them has grown each year, and next summer approximately 25 will be held throughout the nation.

The idea for the Ohio University workshop originated last summer when President Baker and Dean George J. Kabat, of the College of Education, conferred in New York with Dr. G. Derwood Baker, chairman of the Joint Council on Economic Education.

University officials recently held a series of meetings throughout Ohio to explain to representatives of agriculture, business, and labor the purpose and need for such a workshop. They reported widespread interest in the project.

# On and About the Green . . .



INTERNATIONAL DEBATE was reinstituted on the campus last month when a debate team from Oxford University made Ohio University its first Ohio stop in a four-month tour of the United States.

Ohio University debaters Stewart Jaffy, of Lorain, and Bruce Slesnick, of Canton, both juniors, opposed the Oxford men in the public debate scheduled as an Alumni Memorial Auditorium convocation. The Ohio University team argued the affirmative side of the proposition "That the Sun Has Set on the British Commonwealth."

The Oxford men, Dick Taverne and William Rees-Mogg, were selected from debaters throughout England to make a tour of the United States under the auspices of the Institute of International Education. Mr. Taverne was president of the Labour Club at Oxford, and Mr. Rees-Mogg headed the Conservative Association.

Mr. Jaffy is a pre-law major, and Mr. Slesnick is preparing for social work.

Well argued from both sides, the decisionless debate proved a popular convocation and marked the beginning of a plan to put Ohio University debating back on the audience level. It was the first meet the University's debaters have had with a foreign team since 1925, although open debates with other outstanding universities in this country were held until the beginning of World War II.

THE SCHOOL of Journalism held its second annual newspaper show and clinic for the Southeastern Ohio Newspaper Association last month.

The newspapers were displayed in the Art Gallery of Chubb Library and a clinical discussion held. Papers of association members were appraised and discussed by a panel of faculty members made up of L. J. Hortin, acting director of the School of Journalism; A. T. Turnbull, M.S. '49; R. W. McCreanor, '48, M.S. '49; George Starr Lasher, and Vic Sherow, '29. An addition to this year's program was a tour of The McBee Co. plant.

More than 30 newspapers in 13 Southeastern Ohio counties are represented in the association.

Some 50 representatives of the member papers and others were guests of the University at a dinner in Scott Quadrangle. Principal speaker at the dinner was Charles A. Mosher, state senator and publisher of the Cberlin News-Tribune.

Mr. Mosher scored public apathy to-

ward politics and said that often the claim of "political independence" is a "do-nothing" policy. He urged greater participation in the two-party system and that the public stop being suspicious of politicians, whom he defined from his own experience as persons of better than average intelligence and integrity.

Also speaking at the dinner were President Baker, Acting Dean W. H. Fenzel, '18, of the College of Commerce, R. Kenneth Kerr, publisher of the Lancaster Eagle-Gazette and president of the Ohio Newspaper Association, and Professor Hortin.

Professor Hortin was re-elected secretary of the SEONA at the business session following the dinner. President-elect is Gordon Morrow, of Wellston, while Harold W. Wetherholt, of Gallipolis, incumbent president, was elected vice president for next year.

DR. WALTER R. BRODE, world authority on spectroscopy and member of the National Bureau of Standards, recently addressed a meeting of the Upper Ohio Valley section of the American Chemical Society in the Chemistry Auditorium. The meeting, sponsored by the University, was under the direction of Dr. Jesse H. Day, assistant professor of chemistry, and open to students and faculty of other departments and other interested persons.

KARL AND CHRISTINE Ahrendt inaugurated this season's series of Ohio University faculty recitals when

they appeared as duo-violinists. Accompanying them in this concert, open to the public without charge, was Nevelyn Theobald, graduate assistant from South Solon, Ohio.

Dr. Ahrendt, violinist-composer who was born and reared in Toledo, Ohio, is director of the School of Music and conductor of the University Chorus. He received his Ph.D. degree in composition from the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N. Y., in 1946. His principal violin study was under the tutelage of Andre Tourret in Paris and Willy Hess in Berlin. Formerly a member of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra, the Rochester Philharmonic, and the staff of radio station WLW in Cincinnati. Dr. Ahrendt has been director of the School of Music since September, 1950.

His wife, the former Christine Colley, of Dayton, received her master's degree from the Eastman School of Music, where she was a pupil of Jacques Gordon in violin. She also studied at the Curtis Institute in Philadelphia and the Juilliard Graduate School in New York City under Paul Kochanski and Hans Letz. Mrs. Ahrendt has been a member of the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, and on the staff of radio station WHEC, Rochester, and WLW, Cincinnati.

The faculty recital series is a regularly scheduled part of the concerts at Ohio University each school year. All faculty recitals are open to the public free of charge.



Photo by Al Joseph, '53

REPORTER LEARNS BRITISH IMPRESSIONS OF OHIO UNIVERSITY  
Post's Libby Kaye and Oxford Debaters Taverne and Rees-Mogg

MEMBERS OF the Criminology Class of Ohio University visited three penal institutions in West Virginia during their annual field trip last month. The class, an advanced sociology section made up largely of students who intend to enter social work, possibly in penal institutions, is under the direction of Prof. Henry Jeddeloh, acting chairman of the Sociology Department, who accompanied the students on their trip.

Institutions visited included the Federal Reformatory for Women at Alderson; the Women's Prison of West Virginia at Pence Springs; and the Medium Security Prison for Men at Huttonsville.

THE SOCIOLOGICAL implications of war on modern society were presented at a recent panel discussion by members of the Ohio University ROTC faculty. The Ewing Auditorium program was open to the public.

Lt. Col. John K. Graham, Maj. John F. Edwards and Maj. Joseph Ferris of the Air ROTC unit, and Lt. Col. Harold L. Kelly, Lt. Col. Francis P. Swency and Maj. Nicholas Grunzweig of the Army ROTC unit discussed the changes in economy, social life, and government in those countries which experienced immediate effects from World War II.

The program was supplemented by official Department of Defense movies. An informal question and answer period was observed throughout the evening. All members of the panel have personally observed the sociological conditions of war in World War II, during the occupation, and in the present fighting in Korea.

The program was initiated by Henry J. Jeddeloh, associate professor of sociology, with Capt. Wesley Miller acting as military coordinator.

MORE THAN 800 high school band members participated in Ohio University's first annual High School Band Day at the Eastern Kentucky-Ohio University football game in Ohio Stadium.

Seventeen high school bands were guests of the University Band and took part in the half-time ceremonies, during which they formed the largest OHIO ever seen on the field. Directing the mass formation was Charles Minelli, director of university bands. The program included "Hosts of Freedom," by King, "Military Escort," by Bennett, and "Our Director," by Bagley.

Schools participating were: Oak Hill, McArthur, Glouster, New Straitsville, Union Furnace, Carbon Hill, Hamden, Athens, The Plains, Chauncey-Dover, Buchtel, Point Pleasant, W. Va., Rome-Canaan, Crooksville, Ripley, W. Va., Wellston, and Wahama (Mason City), W. Va.

## From the President's Office

### THE END OF THE YEAR



The end of the year is a time for looking back as well as ahead. In reviewing the past year at Ohio University, I experience a just pride in what I find, and feel a personal indebtedness to many individuals and organizations. For the cooperation and interest of students, faculty, administrators, trustees, alumni, and other friends have made possible the outstanding year now ending.

Among those things which have given encouragement and for which we express gratitude is the universal acceptance by all associated with the University of the concept of quality education which motivates all of our planning. Faculty and administrators are giving constant attention to maintaining and enhancing the quality of your University. Evidence of this can be seen, for example, in the successive accreditations of various educational divisions within the University, the most recent being Engineering.

We are grateful, too, for the general friendly relationship between the students and the faculty, a condition which enables us to keep our teaching personal. This warm faculty-student association is found not only in instruction and counseling but also in other University activities. A notable example of this is the student-faculty committee whose members have worked together so admirably in planning the new Student Center.

Indeed, the enthusiastic cooperation of students in all University activities is noteworthy and sincerely appreciated. And such student-conducted events as Homecoming, Mothers' Weekend, and Religion in Life Week are invaluable contributions to the University and its welfare.

Our thanks also should go to the members of the faculty whose ideas and progressive approach and thinking keep the University "alive." Only as examples, I mention the growing human relations program, the annual Conference on World Affairs, the Economic Cooperation Administration Conference, such stimulating convocations as the Ohio University-Oxford debate, and the music, journalism, and other "workshops."

The interest of our trustees has been a major factor in many of the accomplishments of the University in the past year. The competent and sincere concern of these busy men for the welfare of Ohio University has been essential to our progress.

The contribution of the Ohio University Fund, Inc., in making the University a quality institution cannot be overestimated. We owe sincere thanks to those alumni and other friends who have made the Fund and its important work possible.

As important as any of these certainly essential and warmly appreciated—in the successful year now ending has been the interest of alumni, as individuals and organizations, in both their University and their association. The formation of the Alumni Council and the Alumni Public Relations Committee is proof of the increasingly significant role of alumni in the future of their University.

Looking ahead, I am confident that the coming year will find your University continuing its progress and adding to the great tradition of its 147-year history. Our feeling of confidence in what the year ahead will bring to Ohio University is closely allied to our gratitude for what has come about in the year now ending. For both find their causes in the same persons and groups—the students, faculty, administrative officers, trustees, alumni and other friends of Ohio University. To all we extend sincere thanks and good wishes for the holiday season.

*John C. Baker*



## Undergrad Impressions

By Laurie Schultz, '52

Some hundred students remain in Athens for Thanksgiving holiday. All eat at Howard Hall, turkey with all the trimmings. It's after periods like this that talk of mixed dining halls runs rampant. Personally, I'm for it; aids digestion.

Short Turkey Day vacation serves only as apertif, as talk now swings to Christmas. Only a few short days away. On second thought, this semester is almost over. Impossible, is reaction of most students to this startling thought. Street decorations heighten Christmasy feeling.

Weather grows disagreeable. Rain and snow, sleet and hail, sun and wind. That's the sequence on weekend of November 17, as seventeen high school bands arrive in Athens to perform at OU-Eastern Kentucky State game. High schoolers almost freeze to death as several minute-long pocket-sized blizzards hit at halftime. Storm affects Beccats too, surprised by unknown Kentuckians 28-13.

Consolation for Cincinnati thumping—OU band puts on much talked about exhibition, highlighted by Stan Kenton numbers. Fans caught off balance, but love it as tapping feet attest. Glowing praise for Director Charles Minelli and his fine organization.

Campus goes political during smoothly conducted class elections. Twelve hundred vote for unprecedented 143 candidates. (Everybody wants to get into the act.)

Interest high as University Theatre productions of "Twelfth Night" and "Uncle Vanya" are presented. OU Post reviewer (that's me) criticizes rather severely, then goes into hiding as aroused campus threatens tar and feathers for fourth-estater brash enough to disagree with Shakespeare and Chekhov.

OU-Oxford of England debate huge success. Nature of topic helps, "Has the Sun Set On the British Commonwealth." Feeling as audience files in, "A debate's dull enough, but imagine, British debaters!" Then Dick Taverne and William Rees-Mogg captured the audience with a "wisket-full of jests," which they deliver in the best Bob Hope style. They debate well, too.

Social events of the time attract usual interest. Engineer's Ball; Athena dance and queen selection by Philippe Halsman, famous portrait photographer; Scott Quad Winter Formal, among more impressive affairs.

## Kickoff dinner reveals economic importance of University to Community

# OU Fund Workers Are Guests of University

THE ECONOMIC importance of Athens was pointed up at a recent meeting launching this year's Athens drive for the Ohio University Fund, Inc.

Dwight H. Rutherford, '26, chairman of solicitors in Athens, said that a conservative estimate reveals that the University, its faculty, and students funnel \$5,000,000 annually into local trade channels.

The \$5,000,000 figure is derived from a total expenditure of almost \$8,000,000 by University, faculty, and students.

At the Cutler Hall dinner meeting attended by Athens solicitors for the Fund, President Baker cited the importance that the Fund's scholarships play at Ohio University. Other speakers included Dr. Donald R. Clippinger, director of the Graduate College and

head of the Department of Chemistry; and Don Pease, journalism junior from Toledo; and Gordon K. Bush, '24, University trustee and publisher of *The Athens Messenger*.

Dr. Clippinger reviewed past and current research and future research plans made possible through the Fund. Mr. Pease, editor of the *Post*, told the group how a Fred R. Beasley scholarship has made possible his attendance at the University. Mr. Bush cited the value of *Messenger*-sponsored scholarships to students earning them.

Mr. Rutherford, alumni member of the Fund's board of trustees, said a survey disclosed that the average expenditure for each male student at Ohio University is annually \$921, and for each woman student \$790, adding to a total of \$3,356,000.

Total student expenditures and the University's salaries and wages would make \$5,000,000 a conservative figure to use in calculating what is actually funneled into local trade channels, Mr. Rutherford said. And, he pointed out, it does not include some \$75,000 which will be paid out in wages for the building of the new Student Center in the next year and a half.

Grosvenor McKee, '16, past president of the Alumni Association, is director of the Ohio University Fund, Inc. Its treasurer is Paul O'Brien, '32, University treasurer. Besides Rutherford, members of the board are President Baker, Fred Johnson, '22x, chairman of the University board of trustees, and John Galbreath, '20, University trustee. Martin L. Hecht, '46, is associate director of the Fund.

Athens solicitors for the Fund are Sam Altman, Richard Banks, '43, John W. Bolin, '24x, H. C. Dorman, '35, George Couladis, P. F. Good, '26, James E. Householder, '29, Johnny Jones, '49, Arthur Kasler, Robert Mathews, C. B. Nye, Harper C. Pendry, Thomas M. Wolfe, '19, George Hunter, Harry Beckley, '10, 2-yr., H. C. Bobo, '19, Roger Connor, Dr. Blaine R. Goldsberry, '14, E. Paul Cotton, '28, Harold Konkler, G. M. Kyle, William A. Mechem, '42, Frank Nolan, Frank W. Phillips, Sol Rosenberg, '35x, Byron A. Wolfe, '16x, Mr. Bush, and Mr. Rutherford.

### Athens Retail Merchants Establish Scholarship

THE ATHENS Retail Merchants' Association has established a \$150 Ohio University Scholarship to be awarded to a member of this year's Athens High School class.

John W. Bolin, '24x, association secretary, said the group's 28 members voted unanimously to issue the award this year, with indications it would be continued.

The merchants' scholarship, although not a part of the Ohio University Fund, Inc., is in keeping with the spirit and objectives of the fund and was established on the first day of this year's Fund drive.

The merchants, said Mr. Bolin, want to reward a high school graduate "who may have been only an average high school student, but who shows promise in college and as an outstanding citizen later." It was also stipulated that the recipient must have real need of the award.

Selection of a senior will be made through a committee working with Principal Oliver L. Wood, '26. Members of the committee are Harry Beckley, '10, 2-yr., Merrill Kerr, and Katherine Figg Sams.



# Speaking of Alumni . . .



H. C. DECKARD  
in Texas, B-36's

## H. C. Deckard With Convair

DOWN TEXAS way, an Ohioan is playing an important role in the materiel phase of the United States' defense program as an executive in the aircraft industry.

H. C. Deckard, '09x, is night manager of Convair's (Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation) Fort Worth division. Now in charge of all second-shift activities at the aircraft plant, he resigned his position as industrial specialist with the Air Force's Air Materiel Command in order to join Convair, which employs more than 31,000 people (more than a third of them on the night shift) and has a plant area in excess of 4,000,000 square feet.

While no stranger to the aircraft industry, he brought to Convair, builder of the B-36, an extremely varied industrial background, which started forming in 1913 when he joined the Ford Motor Company. At Ford he assisted in the designing and building of all special machines used to produce the famed Model-T Fords.

In World War I, he helped set up production of the Liberty engines for American planes. Leaving aviation, he became plant manager of the Reliance Electrical and Engineering Company, in Cleveland, resigning in 1921 to form his own engineering organization. Then followed superintendencies and plant managerships with eastern companies, including two years with the Fairchild Engine and Airplane Corporation.

From 1930 to 1933, he was general superintendent of two divisions of the General Printing Ink Corporation, New York City.

He rejoined Ford in 1934, serving in various capacities for the next nine years, including two years as general manager of Ford's rubber plantations in Para, Brazil.

From 1943 to 1946, Mr. Deckard was manager of three different divisions of the Aviation Corporation in Detroit and Toledo. The following year he served as general superintendent of the Shaw Box Crane Division of Manning, Maxwell, and Moore, of Muskegon, Mich.

A Bobcat fullback in 1908, H. C. "Spike" Deckard played in the first game between Ohio University and Miami.

## Ed Finley Is in Korea

"SORRY, don't think I'll be able to make the initiation banquet. It's



LT. ED FINLEY  
in Korea, a stalemate

kinda' far from Panmunjon, Korea, to Athens, Ohio . . . but my heart is with the idea, anyway."

So read the "regrets" of Navy Lt. Ed Finley, '41, concerning his inability to be present for the installation of Torch as a circle of Omicron Delta Kappa (see page 18).

Writing to Carr Liggett, '16, chairman of the campaign to raise funds for the Mackinnon portrait and furnishings for the room in which it is to be hung, Lieutenant Finley pledged his support of the project. As his "first actual money contribution," however, he enclosed a 100 Won note from Kaesong and added, for good measure, a "safe conduct pass for the next group of Torch initiates."

About half of Ed Finley's 10 years since graduation from the School of Journalism have been spent in the Navy — 1941 to 1945 and now the current service. In the interim he has been a photographer for Acme News Pictures Agency, Cleveland, on the photography staff of the Miami, Fla., *Herald*, and, at the time of his reentering service, chief photographer, Publicity Department, City of Miami Beach, Fla.

Ed labeled the picture he sent for the *Alumnus* "Chinese Commie cameraman at Kaesong, Korea, while photoing peace talks before all the stalemates." But he warned, "Don't ask which is the Commie!"

## Heads Times UN Bureau

ON THE other side of the world from Lieutenant Finley, another School of Journalism graduate is helping to report the "cold" phase of the Russia-West conflict.

Lawrence G. "Larry" Hauck, '33, was named by the New York Times to manage its bureau covering the UN meetings in Paris. He is due to remain in Paris for the duration of the UN session.

For the past three years, he has been on the foreign news desk of the *Times* in New York. His first newspaper work was with the *Painesville Telegraph*. He later was on the staffs of papers in Portsmouth, Akron, and Detroit. Prior to going to the *Times*, he was with the Associated Press in Cleveland and was transferred to New York before World War II.

He enlisted in the Navy and served on various carriers as intelligence officer. He holds the rank of lieutenant commander with the Navy Reserves.



"LARRY" HAUCK  
in Paris, a UN meeting

# The Bobcat Sports Review

By Jack Hostutler, '50

**THE BOBCAT BASKETBALLERS**, beginning their third season under the coaching reins of Jim Snyder, split even in their first two games of the 1951-52 season. After downing Marshall College 71 to 61 in the season's opener on the home floor, the Bobcats dropped a 79 to 56 decision to the Miami University Redskins in the first round of the Mid-American Conference Tournament at Toledo.

Five more tilts remain on the December schedule for the Bobcats including their opening conference game against Kent State on Dec. 15 at Kent. Other games on tap include Marietta and Ohio Wesleyan at home and Lake Forest and Beloit College on the road.

**REPUTED TO BE ONE** of the top teams in Ohio University history, the 1952 Bobcat swimming squad opened their season in impressive fashion by downing Kenyon College 48 to 35 in the natatorium.

Glen Romanek, a sophomore, swimming with the varsity for the first time, set a new record in the 220-yard freestyle as he churned the distance in 2:22.9. He shattered the previous varsity mark of 2:34.4, set last year by OU's Bob Snavely and clipped .5 seconds from the pool record set by Sulisz of Wayne University.

The scoring was evenly divided among the Bobcats as Coach Tommy Thomas attempted to hold down the score by permitting each man to swim only one event. Captain Dave Koester, Don Rice, Homer Hunt, Larry Long and Romanek each won their individual swimming events while Bill Comley took the diving honors.

**AFTER WINNING FOUR** of their first five games, the 1951 football squad found the going quite a bit more difficult during the last part of the season and could manage only one win, three losses and a tie.

The turning point of the season seemed to come against Miami, when the Bobcats, playing their greatest game, dropped a 7 to 0 heartbreaker to the Redskins. Although they bounced back the following week to win a thrilling 28-27 Homecoming game for the first time in six years, the squad never seemed to reach that top point again.

Following the Kent game, they dropped a 13 to 6 decision to Toledo in blizzard-like weather and then were

handed a 40 to 0 setback at the hands of the powerful University of Cincinnati Bearcats. The Cincinnati squad could do no wrong as they recovered an OU fumble on the first play from scrimmage and scored with the game only two minutes old. By halftime, thanks primarily to two long passes, they held a 34 to 0 margin and the Bobcats never recovered.

The following week against the Eastern Kentucky Maroons, passes again proved to be the downfall of OU. The Bobcats took the opening kickoff and marched for the first touchdown. Then on the first play after the kickoff, the Maroons combined a pass with a lateral to tie up the game. Eastern accounted for two more touchdowns via the air-planes and that was more than enough to down the Bobcats and the final score showed 27 to 13.

In an exciting Thanksgiving Day game, the Bobcats battled the Marshall College Thundering Herd to a 13 to 13 tie in a contest between two equal elevens.

**NINETY-EIGHT** members of Ohio University's varsity and junior varsity football squads were named to receive awards at the annual football banquet held at Scott Quadrangle on December 4.

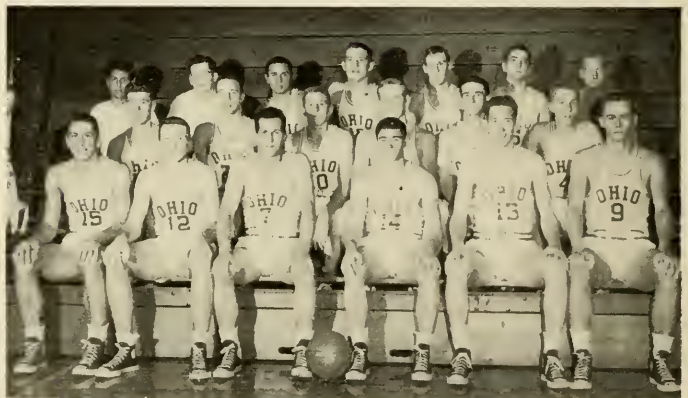
Thirty-six of the group received varsity awards while the remainder were

recognized for work on the junior varsity.

Heading the list of award winners were seven seniors who won their Varsity O blankets, the highest award in Ohio University athletics. It is given only to seniors who have won their varsity O for the third time. Those receiving blankets were John Bedosky, Cleveland tackle; Gene Boyer, Copley guard; Al Dunn, Uhrichsville tackle; Demus Jones, Hamilton guard; Ed Roberts, Springfield halfback; Al Scheider, Cleveland tackle; and Paul Winemiller, Crestline halfback.

Eleven men were named to receive second varsity awards of White Varsity O sweaters. They were Tom Anderson, St. Mary's quarterback; Sam Carpenter, Athens halfback; Vince Costello, Magnolia center; Wally Duemer, Hamilton end; Bill Ellis, Cincinnati end; Dick Fleitz, Newark halfback; Nick Fogoros, Alliance end; Bob Haug, Youngstown fullback; Gene Nuxhall, Hamilton end; Dick Phillips, Northampton, Pa. halfback; Bill Scheider, Cleveland end. Two other men Bill Bevan, Warren halfback; and John Turk, Cleveland linebacker; have already won their second varsity awards but were given recognition.

Green Varsity "O" sweaters went to 15 men winning their first varsity football award. These include: Lowell Anderson, Cincinnati center; Elmer Apel, Berea tackle; Charles Bell, Huntington, W. Va. halfback; Bill Castro, Ripley, W. Va. quarterback; Don Eskey, Philo halfback; Bill Haffner, Dayton halfback; Larry Lawrence, Toledo quarterback; Tom Lee, Fremont halfback; Vic Pikus, Garfield Heights tackle; Wally Plattenburg, Dayton center; Louis Sawchik, Cleveland end; Frank Underwood, Win-



1952 OHIO UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD—Front Row, left to right—Joe Benich, Jack Betts, Glen Hursey, Elwood Sparks, Dave Leightenheimer, Ralph Reodout. Second Row—Tom Hoswell, Don Lechner, Dick Murphy, Jim Betts, Hal Daugherty, Dick Seiple. Third Row—Gene Caratelli, mgr; Leo Devney, mgr; John Capella, Tom Cherry, Scotty Griesheimer, Paul Wanstreet, Bob Gilkey, mgr.



THE 1931 OHIO University Basketball squad will be guests of the Athletic Department and the Alumni Association at a 21-year reunion on January 12 when the current edition of the Fighting Bobcats meet the Miami University Redskins.

Harry Lockey, now coach of Athens High School, and a member of the '31 squad is handling arrangements for the reunion to which all 15 members of the squad have been invited. All but three of the group are currently residing in Ohio.

The 1931 squad, coached by Brandon T. "Butch" Graver, now Assistant to the President, won the Buckeye Conference championship as they racked up 12 wins as against only 4 losses.

tersville end; Charles Wilson, Marietta fullback; and Leon Wilson, Parkersburg, W. Va. guard, and John Halak, Cleveland team manager.

Eighteen men were named to receive numeral sweaters for action with the Junior Varsity squad. These men, all but two of them freshmen, include Don Anderson, Art Aspengren, Andy Chonko, Willard Crookes, Joel Deckman, Ronnie Hall, Merle Hummell, Ted Jackson, Bill Mason, Bill Frederick, Stan Maschino, Nick Petroff, John Schwab, Neil Serpick, Charles Skipton, Dick Spellmeyer, Clarence Tyo, Ronnie Weaver, and Mike Henry, team manager.

Forty-four other members of the junior varsity squad were awarded numerals but did not receive sweaters.

**THE OHIO UNIVERSITY JUNIOR** Varsity football squad turned in one of the finest records since back in the late 30's as they won four of their five games this past season.

Losing only their opening game to Cincinnati 25 to 0, the Bobkittens went on to rack up wins over Bowling Green, 27 to 7; Miami, 14 to 13; Ohio Wesleyan 30 to 0, and Marshall, 20 to 14.

The greatest win for the group was the one-point decision over Miami just a week after the Redskins had beaten the Michigan Jay Vees at Ann Arbor.

Charles Skipton, a transfer from Miami, was the top ball carrier for the Bobkittens and also the top scorer and one of the top pass receivers. A great deal is expected of him next year with the varsity.

Several other Jay Vees gave outstanding demonstrations of their ability, including Joel Deckman, a 145 pound halfback who is an excellent runner, Nick Petroff, a transfer from Brown University and a top line-backer and center prospect, and Bill Frederick, a smooth working quarterback who managed to get in a few games with the varsity on defense.

Coach Frank Richey guided the Bobkittens, with Bob Wren, assisting by coaching the linemen.

## Collegiate Career Ends for One of Ohio U's Finest Gridiron Stars

A TALL heavy-set boy walked up to Harold Wise in the spring of 1948 and said, "Coach, I'd like to try out for the football team." Although Wise hadn't seen the boy play, he gave him a uniform in spring practice and the career of one of the greatest football players in Ohio University history began.

Although he didn't start the first game the following fall, Al Scheider had impressed his coaches enough that he saw action before the game was over and in every other game that year. The following year he was the regular right tackle when the season opened and continued in that capacity for three more years.

When the final gun went off ending this year's OU-Marshall game, Scheider had played his 38th and final game as a Bobcat, more than any other gridders in the school's history.

He also has won just about every honor he could receive as a Bobcat. For three straight years he has been named to the All-Mid-American Conference team. He received honorable mention on the Little-All-American team. A second-team All-Ohio choice in 1950, Al is almost certain to receive first team honors this year, although the team has not yet been announced.

Not just a star player, Al has also been an outstanding leader and served as captain of the squad for the past season. He also was chosen for the second straight year as the team's Most Valuable Player. He has been selected on most of the All-Opponent teams of Bobcat foes and is described by Carroll Widdoes as one of the most outstanding players he has ever coached.

Many ask how such a griddier escaped other college scouts and why Harold Wise hadn't heard of him, which is quite unusual in this day of high pressure football. The answer is simple. Scheider wasn't an outstanding high school star, in fact it took him two years to win a letter at West Tech high school in Cleveland.

After his graduation from high school, Scheider spent 18 months in the army and it was while in ser-



AL SCHEIDER  
... one of Bobcat's finest

vice that he began playing a great deal of football.

While serving with the Army of Occupation in Japan, Al played for the First Cavalry Division team. He was named to the Japan All-Stars and played in the 1947 Rice Bowl at Tokyo on New Years Day.

Al has another outstanding feature that has been lacking among football players today, in this age of two platoon football. He plays both offense and defense and is outstanding at both spots. He is a real 60 minute ball player and in a number of the Bobcat games this year played every minute of the game. Possessing outstanding speed, Scheider was the fastest lineman on the squad and was faster than most of the backfield men. Not satisfied with being able to cover only his own territory well, Al was usually around all of the plays on the line, and was definitely in on more tackles than any other man on the squad.

A tribute to Al's ability is the fact that several professional football clubs are interested in him although he tips the scales at only 197 pounds, which is small in the pro line ranks. He is currently attempting to build up his weight to around 210 pounds, and if he succeeds he plans to have a try at pro ball.

## Article I—Name

The name of the organization is the Ohio University Alumni Association.

## Article II—Objects

The objects of the Association are to promote the interests of Ohio University and to establish mutually beneficial relations between the University and its alumni.

## Article III—Membership

Section 1. There are three types of membership: Regular, Associate, and Honorary.

Section 2. *Regular Members.* All graduates of Ohio University and all non-graduates who have been regularly enrolled, in residence, in some department of the University for one semester or more and have been honorably dismissed are eligible for regular membership in the Association.

Regular members may affiliate with the Association on either an Annual or a Life Membership basis.

Active membership is held by these who are eligible for regular membership and who have paid the current membership fee.

Section 3. *Associate Members.* Present or former members of the Administrative Staff, Faculty, and Board of Trustees of the University, who are not graduates or former students, are eligible for associate membership.

Section 4. *Honorary Members.* Non-alumni who have rendered valuable or conspicuous service to the University or the Association may be elected to honorary membership.

## Article IV—Officers

Section 1. The officers of the Association are a President, one or more Vice-Presidents, a Secretary, and a Treasurer. Traditionally and for practical reasons, the Alumni Secretary of the University is elected Secretary of the Association.

Section 2. Officers of the Association are members of the Council and are the officers of the Council.

## Article V—Council

There is a Council made up of the presidents of the local groups, and at least four members-at-large appointed by the Executive Committee.

## Article VI—Executive Committee

Section 1. The Executive Committee comprises the officers of the Association and two other members of the Council to be named by the Council.

Section 2. The Executive Committee

constitutes the working body of the Association, under the general direction of the Council, and in it is vested the immediate management of the affairs of the Association.

## Article VII—Local Groups

Local groups (Chapters, Women's clubs, Bobcat clubs) are authorized and may be established within this Association for social purposes and for increasing interest in the welfare of the Association and the University.

## Article VIII—Dues

Section 1. Regular members and associate members are required to pay membership fees, or dues, the amounts of which are determined by the Council.

Section 2. Honorary members are not required to pay dues.

## Article IX—The Ohio Alumnus

The official publication of the Association is a magazine, *The Ohio Alumnus*.

## Article X—Meetings

Section 1. The Council will hold at least one meeting each year—meetings are held at the University on dates determined by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. The Executive Committee does not hold stated meetings, but convenes upon the calls of the president of the Association.

Section 3. A quorum for a Council meeting consists of nine or more Council members.

## Article XI—Amendments

Petitions for amendments to this Constitution may be offered by any member of the Council, or, in writing, by 50 or more members of the Association. Adoption will be by two-thirds vote of the Council members present at a regular or called Council meeting.

## Article XII—By-Laws

The by-laws of the Association may be changed at a regular or called meeting of the Council by vote of a majority of the members present.

# Constitution of the Ohio U

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## BY-LAWS

### Membership

Section 1. Honorary members are elected by the Council upon recommendation of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. Only regular members (Annual and Life) may vote or hold office in the Association. Associate and Honorary members are entitled to all other privileges, including receipt of the magazine, *The Ohio Alumnus*.

Section 3. When, after reasonable notice, a member fails to pay his membership fee, his name is removed from the active membership rolls and his subscription to *The Ohio Alumnus* is discontinued.

### Duties of Officers

Section 1. *President.* The President acts as chairman of all meetings of the Association, of the Council, and of the Executive Committee. He appoints all committees, except as may be otherwise provided in these By-Laws.

The President has power to create such committees as are deemed desirable or necessary for the promotion of the welfare and activities of the Association, and to abolish them when need ceases to exist.

Section 2. *Vice-Presidents.* A Vice-President acts in the place of the president in the latter's absence or disability.

Section 3. *Secretary.* The Secretary acts as secretary of the meetings of the Association, the Council, and the Executive Committee. He maintains the membership roster of the Association; collects and transmits to the Treasurer membership fees and all other accounts due the Association; edits the Association's magazine, *The Ohio Alumnus*; and submits to the Council a report on the affairs and activities of the Association following the close of each fiscal year.

Section 4. *Treasurer.* The Treasurer receives from the Secretary, disburses, and accounts for all funds of the Association. He prepares and submits to the Council an annual financial report following the close of each fiscal year.

### Fiscal Year

The fiscal year of the Association extends from July 1 of one year to June 30, inclusive, of the succeeding year.



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## The Council

Section 1. The Council is composed of the officers of the Association, the presidents of the local groups, and at least four members-at-large appointed by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. The members-at-large are named by the Executive Committee and are chosen primarily to give representation to geographical areas having in them no local groups. The term of office for a member-at-large is one year, although such a member may be named to succeed himself.

Section 3. The Council makes such by-laws and regulations as in its judgment are from time to time necessary for the transaction of the business of the Council and the management of affairs of the Association.

Section 4. The Council has power to fill temporary vacancies in its membership and in the offices of the Association. The tenure of such appointments will extend only until such time as the position can be filled in the manner prescribed in the by-laws on Elections.

## Elections

Section 1. Nominations for the offices of the Association are made by a Nominating Committee of three Council members appointed by the President.

Section 2. The Nominating Committee prepares and submits to the Council in ample time for the Annual Council Meeting a slate of officers consisting of one candidate for each office. Additional nominations may be made by the Council members at the Annual Council Meeting.

Section 3. Other nominations may be made to the Secretary by any fifty members of the Association in good standing. Such nominations, if received by the Secretary in writing and not less than thirty days before the announced date of election, are valid nominations and are presented to the Council with and in the same manner as those of the Nominating Committee.

Section 4. If but one candidate is named for each office the Secretary will cast the unanimous ballot of the Association's membership and the President will declare the slate elected.

Section 5. Each officer serves for one year, or until his successor has been duly elected and qualified.

## Dues

Section 1. The annual dues of Regular Members are \$3.50. In the cases of husbands and wives where both are eligible for membership in the Association there is a combination rate of \$4.50.

Section 2. Life dues are \$60, payable in one sum. Money from life memberships is deposited in a separate account and invested by the Treasurer in income-producing securities approved by the Executive Committee. The interest earned may be used for the general purposes of the Association, including publication of *The Ohio Alumnus*.

Section 3. Honorary members are not required to pay dues.

Section 4. Annual dues are payable on October 15 for the ensuing year.

## Local Groups

Section 1. Local groups (Chapters Women's Clubs, Bobcat Clubs) are authorized or chartered by the Executive Committee.

Section 2. In order to be recognized as a group within the Association, a local club should meet at least twice a year and follow a pattern of organization recommended by the Council.

Section 3. When a president of a local group is unable to attend a meeting of the Council of the Association, he appoints a substitute from his group to attend the meeting with authority to act in his place.

Section 4. Officers of the local groups are elected at the annual meeting of the group. The presidents assume membership on the Council at once.

## The Magazine

Section 1. Each type of membership in the Association includes a subscription to *The Ohio Alumnus*. The magazine is not sold separately on an annual basis.

Section 2. The magazine is published monthly, October to June, inclusive, and is mailed to each member of the Association in good standing.



PRESIDENT LIGGETT  
of Cleveland

## Carr Liggett Is President

PRESIDENT CARR LIGGETT (see, also, page 2), newly-elected head of the Ohio University Alumni Association, was born in Pennsylvania and is a graduate of the high school at Cambridge Springs, Pa.

He entered Ohio University in 1912 and graduated with an A.B. degree in 1916. His first job was that of English instructor at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. World War I called him from teaching to Camp Sherman where he was commissioned a second lieutenant. Upon returning from eight months in France he accepted a position with an advertising concern in Cincinnati, and in June 1919, married his college sweetheart, Hazel Thomas, '18.

In 1920, Mr. Liggett went to Cleveland where he shortly joined an old Lafayette colleague in the forming of an advertising agency, the Krichbaum-Liggett Co. After 13 years he left this organization to establish his own agency, which is now known as the Carr Liggett Advertising Co., Inc.

Music has been an almost life-long hobby, and might well have become a career. An accomplished pianist, he has composed both vocal and instrumental numbers. A male chorus, "Judas," was written for the Orpheus Choir of Cleveland. Compositions for the piano and the violin have been performed on NBC network programs and a Town Hall concert in New York City.

The new president is also a poet of no mean distinction, having contributed to Ted Robinson's "Philosopher of Folly" column in the *Cleveland Plain Dealer* and to fourteen volumes of *The Rhymers' Club* publication. He is an

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# Other Alumni Officers For 1951

## Ed Wright Named

**EDWARD B. WRIGHT**, '38, Cincinnati, is one of the Association's two new vice presidents.

Mr. Wright is a native of Cleveland and a graduate of East Cleveland's Shaw High School. At Ohio University he was captain of the varsity swimming team and president of the Junior Class. On April 23, 1937, Class President Wright and Miss Marian Tissot, also of Cleveland, lead the grand march for the Junior Prom. One week later they were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Benton Wright. Both remained in the University to complete degree work.

For two years after graduation Mr. Wright was associated with the Herman Moss Agency of the Equitable Life Assurance Society in Cleveland. Then, after a training period with the Procter & Gamble Co., followed by more than two years of Navy service, he became district credit manager for the P & G company in Cleveland. In 1947, he moved to Cincinnati as a district credit man. From that time on his advancement with the big company has been steady, until now he is supervisor of the Advertising Accounting Section, a unit that handles the accounting for the world's largest commercial advertising budget.

Ed is a member of Ohio University's Alumni Survey Committee and a past president of the Cincinnati Bobcat Club. Last month he was elected to the board of the Anderson Township Schools in suburban Cincinnati.

The Wrights have two children—Edward, Jr., 13, and Marjorie, 9.



VICE PRESIDENT WRIGHT  
... of Cincinnati

## The retiring officers of the Alumni Association are:

President Grosvenor S. McKee, '16, who is vice president, works manager, and a director of Talon, Inc., Meadville, Pa. Mr. McKee has been named director of the Ohio University Fund, Inc.

Vice President Elizabeth J. Herbert, '22, Cleveland, a John Adams High School teacher and a sister of former Ohio Governor Thomas J. Herbert.

Vice President Willis H. Edmund, '28, Akron, director of education and recreation for the Good-year Tire & Rubber Company.



VICE PRESIDENT WRIGHT  
... of Akron

## Mrs. Earl Wright Elected

**MRS. EARL O. WRIGHT** (Alice Edwards), Akron, is the other of the two vice presidents elected on October 26. She and her colleague, E. B. Wright, are not related.

She was born at New Lebanon in—. Well, no matter about the date. She later lived in Dayton and ultimately came to Ohio University where after an active undergraduate career she graduated with the A.B. degree in 1927.

Mrs. Wright, whose husband was one of Akron's most successful high school coaches and who died two years ago, is head of the West Hill Branch of the Akron Public Library. During World War II she held a supervisory position in the Summit County Office of Price Administration. She is a former executive secretary of the Summit County



TREASURER FENZEL  
... of Athens

Cancer Society, a former president of the Akron Association of Ohio University women, and is active in the affairs of the Woman's City Club in Akron.

Vice President Wright is the mother of two husky sons: Bob, now in Panama with the U. S. Marines, and Richard, a high school junior.

## Fenzel Re-named Treasurer

**TREASURER** of the Alumni Association since 1922, William H. Fenzel, acting dean of Ohio University's College of Commerce, was again named custodian of funds.

Athens has always been home to Dean Fenzel. He was graduated from the University in 1918 and joined its faculty the same year. Prior to receiving his degree, he was granted, in 1915, a two-year diploma in commerce. He earned and was awarded the Bachelor of Commercial Science degree at New York University in 1917. He has done additional study at the University of Chicago.

In addition to his administrative duties, Mr. Fenzel is associate professor of accounting and economic geography. He is a member of the Faculty Fraternity Affairs Council and of the Student Center Executive Committee. Before assuming his alumni treasurership, he was treasurer of the Ohio University Athletic Association.

## Williams Begins 31st Year

**LIKE** Treasurer Fenzel, Secretary Clark E. Williams has held office in the Alumni Association continuously since 1922.

The secretary was born in Washington.  
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# On the Alumni Front

Early winter activities "on the alumni front" include the annual Christmas dance in Cleveland to which all alumni are welcome. Indeed, it has always attracted guests from the entire North-eastern Ohio area, as well as holiday visitors in Cleveland from more distant points.

## Cleveland

Members of the Ohio University Women's Club and members of the Bobcat Club of Cleveland joined forces in the annual dinner and welcome to University President John C. Baker on November 15.

The dinner meeting was held in the Ranch Room of the Cleveland Athletic Club. Lawrence E. Stewart, '49, was the evening's general chairman, with Alumni Association President Carr Liggett, '16, acting as toastmaster. President Baker was the speaker of the occasion.

A unique feature of the program was several numbers by a barbershop quartet arranged for by Maynard L. Graft, '25, who is a national officer of S.P.E.B.S.Q. S.A. or, to be specific, the Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America.

Among the out-of-town guests were O. U. Fund Director Grosvenor S. McKee, '16, and Mrs. McKee, Meadville, Pa.; O. U. Trustee Don McVay, '15, and Mrs. McVay, Leroy; and Dean George J. Kabat, of the College of Education, and Frederick H. McKelvey, director of the Center for Educational Service, from the campus.

Announcement was made at the Cleveland meeting of the establishment of the McFarland and Braff Scholarships, which will be described in a later issue of *The Alumnus*.

## Christmas Dance

Vince Pattie and his popular dance band will provide the music for the annual Bobcat Christmas Dance to be held in Cleveland at the University Club, 3813 Euclid Avenue, on Saturday night, December 29, from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Ohio University alumni, undergraduates, and faculty members and their guests are all welcome to attend this gala event. Dance Chairman Larry Stewart is hoping that the record attendance of 1,000 alumni and students in 1947 will be topped this year.

In the advance sale, tickets are \$2.95 a couple; at the door they will be \$3.25. For tickets call: Larry Stewart, Academy 1-335; Bill Doody, Boulevard 2-1922; Mrs. Fannie Madow, Longacre 1-7115; Art Fisher, Superior 1-1123; or

The interest of Ohio University in its alumni has been demonstrated on numerous occasions and in a variety of ways in recent years.

Further evidence of this interest is the fact that the Board of Trustees has voted to permit the president of the Ohio University Alumni Association to "sit in" on meetings of the Board during the period of his presidential incumbency.

Although there is no voting privilege involved, since by statute only the governor of the state can appoint individuals to board membership, the recognition accorded the office of president of the Alumni Association is one which alumni, generally, should appreciate and applaud.

President Carr Liggett, first Association leader to enjoy the privilege, attended the meeting of the Board held at the University on December 7.

Margaret Wenstrump, Yellowstone 2-6137.

The next regular meeting of the Bobcat Club will be a Smoker, January 16, 8 p.m., at the Cleveland Athletic Club.

Reproduced nearby is the cover page of the November issue of *Bobcat Chatter*, monthly publication of the Cleveland men and the vehicle for their program announcements. The *Chatter* is supported by advertising placed by members of the club.

## Akron

In spite of snow and generally inclement weather, 60 members of the Akron Association of Ohio University Women attended the November 3 meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Jennings (Nadine Michael, '24) on Castle Boulevard. Mrs. William Kruspe (Clara "Suzy" Collins, '42x), of Cuyahoga Falls, was chairman of the hostess committee. The program feature was a talk, "Experiences in England," by Frances Robinson, a Buchtel High School teacher who has been an exchange teacher in England. Miss Robinson illustrated her talk with colored slides.

President Baker was the guest of several Akron alumni at an informal luncheon at the Mayflower Hotel on November 14. Arrangements were made by Jack D. Wadley, '32, president of the Akron chapter. Others attending were Mrs. Alice Edwards Wright, '27, Alumni Association vice president; Mrs. Josephine Williams Sutliff, '23, president of the women's club; Bruce R. Blake,

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Vice President: Jack D. Wadley, '32  
Secretary: Fred Jennings, '24  
Treasurer: William Kruspe, '42x

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## Huntington, W. Va.

'40, president of the Bobcat Club; Otis J. Barnhill, '24; D. Ben James, '43; and William J. Secrest, '17.

Thirty some alumni of the Huntington area attended a reception at the Huntington Women's Club following the Marshall College - Ohio U. football game, November 22, at which Head Coach Carroll Widdoes and Line Coach Howard Brinker were special guests. The two coaches were accompanied by their wives. Alumni Secretary Clark Williams and Mrs. Williams were other Athenians present.

Arrangements for the very delightful affair were made by a committee headed by E. M. Starr, '20, and including Irene Aber, '15, Mrs. Myrtle Fox Retzoff, '21, and Lena Roe, '25.

## WILLIAMS

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ton C. H., but has lived in Athens since the age of seven. He attended the University Elementary School — the Model School in his day — and, as president of his class, graduated from the University in 1921. His undergraduate days were interrupted by World War I service during which, as a brash "shave tail" lieutenant, he commanded a Student Army Training Corps unit down in Tennessee. He came to his present position after one year of teaching in Athens High School.

Mr. Williams married an Ohio University girl, Marie E. Jewett, '22. They are the parents of three children: Barbara, a high school senior, and Carolyn and Clark, Jr., twins, who are in junior high school.





PROFESSOR BENZ  
heads summer program

## Dr. Harry E. Benz Named Summer Session Director

**DR. HARRY EDWARD BENZ**, professor of education at Ohio University since 1936, is new director of the University's summer session.

Dr. Benz, who served as acting dean of the College of Education during the summer of 1949, succeeds Dr. Rush Elliott, who became dean of the University College last spring. Dr. Elliott had been summer school director since 1946.

A native of Minnesota and a holder of master's and doctor's degrees from the State University of Iowa, Dr. Benz became a member of the Ohio University faculty in 1927, when he was named an assistant professor of mathematics. He has been a professor of education since 1936 except for a year's leave of absence in 1946-47.

## CARR LIGGETT

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honorary member of the Ohio Poetry Society and is president this year of the Rowfant Club and a member of its Council of Fellows. Outside the field of poetry he is the author of a three-act play, a satire on the advertising business, called "You Don't Have to be Crazy."

He has been chairman of the Public Relations Council of the Cleveland YMCA for the past 18 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Liggett have a daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Kline (Marjorie Liggett, '51), who is a teacher in the Columbus public schools. The son-in-law, also a 1951 graduate, is engaged in graduate study at Ohio State University.

## Twenty-four Alumni Initiated as Torch Affiliates with National Organization

**TORCH**, men's leadership honor society at Ohio University, became a circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, national men's leadership honor society, at ceremonies conducted on the campus last month.

Especially honored at the installation was Prof. C. N. Mackinnon, who founded the local organization 38 years ago. Plans call for the painting of a portrait of "Mac," oldest member of the faculty in point of service. The portrait is expected to be hung in the new Student Center.

Twenty-four alumni, 10 undergraduates, and three faculty members, in addition to those faculty members who were among the alumni initiates, were initiated.

The initiation ceremony was conducted by Dean Robert W. Bishop, dean of men at the University of Cincinnati and national secretary of ODK; Prof. Danner L. Mahood, of Denison University, central province deputy; Carlson R. Thomas, University of Richmond; John McCarter, Denison University; and Thomas Putnam, Assistant Dean William E. Alderman, Jr., Paul Games, David Merten, and Ralph Tierney, all of the University of Cincinnati.

Out-of-town alumni who attended were: Joseph Begala, '29, Kent; George N. Cochran, '33, and Mrs. Cochran, Parkersburg, W. Va.; Gordon Cox, '49, Cleveland; Ray C. Donnell, '27, Chillicothe; Dallas F. Farmer, '30, and Mrs. Farmer (Florence E. Moore, '30), Newark; Lawrence A. Flinn, '33, Cincinnati; Maurice W. Foraker, '31, and Mrs. Foraker (Julia Murphy, '31x), Dover; Robert H. Freeman, '35, Wooster;

Charles F. Harper, '32, Corning; Russell P. Herrold, '16, and Mrs. Herrold (Wilma Lane, '18), Zanesville; J. Grant Keys, '41x, Elyria; H. Alan Kiser, '49, and Mrs. Kiser, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Carr Liggett, '16, Cleveland; James D. Murch, '15, and Mrs. Murch, Cincinnati; Harry F. Newman, '20, and Mrs. Newman, Shaker Heights; F. L. Preston, '34, Granville.

Henry W. Pattison, '39, and Mrs. Pattison (Edith Kamuf, '40), Willoughby; Robert D. Regula, '47, and Mrs. Regula, Crooksville; Frank C. Rocco, '48, and Mrs. Rocco, Dayton; Rocco J. Russo, '48, Cleveland; William J. Sercrest, '17, and Mrs. Sercrest (Helen M. Duncan, '17), Cuyahoga Falls; Robert S. Soule, '23, and Mrs. Soule (Mary Louise Overmyer, '21x), Fairmont, W. Va.; James H. White, '13, Coudersport, Pa.

Athens alumni in attendance: R. F. Beckert, '23; H. C. Bobo, '19; Rush Elliott, '24, and Mrs. Elliott (Frances J. Gray, '26, '31); Joseph Dando, '30x, and Mrs. Dando; W. H. Fenzel, '18; Dr. Blaine Goldsberry, '14; Dewey M. Goddard, '25; Brandon T. Grover, '19, and Mrs. Grover (Gladys Watkins, '20); Martin L. Hecht, '46, and Mrs. Hecht; William H. Herbert, '25, and Mrs. Herbert (Dorothea B. Jones, '26); Al Lindholm, '51; William Mechem, '42; Paul O'Brien, '22, and Mrs. O'Brien; Vic Sherow, '29; Lorin C. Staats, Jr., '48, and Mrs. Staats; Ed Sudnick, '50, and Mrs. Sudnick (Elaine Ross, '52x); Clark E. Williams, '21, and Mrs. Williams (Marie Jewett, '22); Robert M. Wren, '43, and Mrs. Wren (Lois Hull, '44x).

## President Baker Questions Mid-Am Policies

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Referring to what is, or is not, being done to remedy intercollegiate athletic ills, Dr. Baker said: "So far, I fear the public is being offered special committees to study the situation, more reports, some defense of the status quo, and more confusion. All of this leaves the public cold because they are expecting and soon will demand some action . . . piecemeal correction will mean little. The outlawing of bowl games, giving up spring practice, limiting financial aid, and certain other suggested changes will never solve over-emphasis or dishonesty."

Speaking of the situation at Ohio University, President Baker concluded his talk with the following statement:

"Gentlemen, you know our philosophy of intercollegiate athletics. We are proud of it. Let me conclude this evening not only by paying tribute to our present-day coaches and members of a fine team, but also by thanking those coaches, players, alumni and friends of past years who hammered out our policies which are exceedingly helpful in this period of serious crisis."

This year's team, which the president praised so highly, selected for special honors its captain Al Scheider, Cleveland, Most Valuable Player; Al Dunn, Uhrichsville, Most Outstanding Line-man; Ed Roberts, Springfield, Most Outstanding Back; and Bill Ellis, Cincinnati, captain for 1952.



# Here and There Among the Alumni

1873

J. Boyd Davis, a veteran insurance man in Columbus and the son of DR. JOHN M. DAVIS, and Mrs. Davis (JANE BOYD, '76), was honored at a dinner in Columbus late in November at which a vice president of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. came from Philadelphia to serve as host. The honor guest has just completed thirty years as a representative of the company, is a former secretary-treasurer of the Ohio Association of Life Underwriters, is chairman of the million dollar pension fund for retired Methodist ministers, is chairman of the board of trustees of Rio Grande College, of which his father was once president, and a trustee of Ohio Northern University. Mr. Davis' parents have been dead for a number of years. His mother, a sister of MARGARET BOYD, '73, Ohio University's first woman graduate, was the second woman to enter and receive a degree from Ohio University. One of Mr. Davis' uncles, the REV. DR. HUGH BOYD, '59, was once offered the presidency of Ohio University.

1891

Mrs. Julia McDaniel Atkinson, widow of the late DEAN A. A. ATKINSON, B.S. '91, M.S. '94, died December 4 at her home in Athens following a long illness. She was 88 years of age. Her husband retired from the Ohio University staff in 1937 with the rank of dean emeritus of the College of Applied Science and professor of electrical engineering. Dean Atkinson died in 1947. Mrs. Atkinson was a member of a pioneer South-eastern Ohio family and had lived in the Morris Avenue residence in Athens since 1894. Her survivors include a daughter, Mrs. John W. Stewart (GERTRUDE ATKINSON '18) and a grandson, JACK STEWART, '49x.

1896

Congratulations, good friends! DR. HIRAM ROY WILSON and Mrs. Wilson (FLORENCE CRAIG, '98), Athens, observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary on October 30. In an experience much less happy, Mrs. Wilson suffered a broken arm in an accident that occurred on November 20. Dr. Wilson is professor emeritus of English at Ohio University and a former national president of the Ohio University Alumni Association.

1903

J. M. ZANG, Akron, a member of Ohio University's first basketball team, who was referred to in this section of the October *Alumnus*, has contributed an anecdote of his college days. "Between the halves of a basketball game," he writes, "Coach Millman and Ed CAVE, (03x), a member of the squad, put on a boxing exhibition which resulted in Millman going down for the count. He was also the referee for the game. After the end of the game we had all gone to the shower room and Millman rushed in saying 'Hurry up fellows, we want to get that second half started.' It was with some difficulty that we convinced him that the game was over. Cave's haymaker had knocked the

Professor out and he was in a complete daze during all of the second half."

1904

"Semi-retirement" is the best description for the activities of JOHN E. MCDANIEL Ph.B. '04, Ph.M. '06, of Montrose, Colorado. A former county engineer and foreman of Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Monument, he is now 78 years old but "still working a little at easy civil engineering jobs — no more in difficult terrain."

LESLIE W. HOUSEHOLDER, 2-yr., is vice president of the National Mine Service Company at Indiana, Pa. He is a former vice



MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR BRAINERD (CENTER)  
ON WAY TO STOCKHOLM  
(See Class of 1915 Notes)

president of the Rochester & Pittsburgh Coal & Iron Company.

1906

W. F. BEASLEY, 2-yr., for many years an automotive engineer in the War Department, Washington, D. C., is now retired from that work and living at Silver Spring, Md. He is listed in "Who's Who in Engineering" and was awarded a gold medal for "exceptional civilian service" by the Secretary of War. His present hobby interest is painting in oils.

1907

WILBERT S. BLACKSTONE is a consulting engineer and member of the firm of Ropp and Blackstone in Youngstown. Mr. Blackstone was for many years an engineer with the Republic Steel Corp. His wife is the former ELIZABETH HARMON '07, 2-yr.

1910

ROBERT P. ASHBAUGH, 2-yr., who recently retired as a cable development engineer from the Bell Telephone Laboratories in Kearny, N. J., and Mrs. Ashbaugh (BERTHA BUXTON, '13, 2-yr.) have established themselves in a new home in Tangerine, Fla., a small community near Mt. Dora. The retired engineer says that "We are located on a small lake and have a very cozy house which can be stretched to accommodate as many old friends as may happen to come by. Mr. Ashbaugh and I extend an open invitation to all who may know us." Mr. Ashbaugh played a prominent part in the development

of the new Stalpeth Cable which was described at length in the *Bell Laboratories Record* for June, 1951. The Ashbaughs have one son who, with his wife and three children, lives in Venezuela and is associated with the Creole Petroleum Corp.

1911

REV. J. A. LONG and Mrs. LONG (BESS NYE, '12x), have had the pleasure and satisfaction of seeing all of their six children receive college or university degrees. The list was completed last summer when their youngest son, GEORGE, graduated from Ohio University. Their eldest daughter, MARCELLA, a teacher in the Dayton schools, is a two-time degree recipient from her parents' alma mater, having received a B.S.Ed. degree in 1934 and an M.Ed. in 1938. A second daughter, Mrs. Miriam Nead, is a graduate of Hiram College and now the wife of an assistant professor of mathematics at Indiana University. A third daughter, Mrs. Mary Gillespie, is a graduate of the School of Nursing at Ohio State University, and resides in Dayton. ARTHUR E. LONG, a graduate of the University of Chicago, with 18 hours of Graduate School credit at Ohio University, is now enrolled in the University of Chicago Divinity School. A fourth daughter, Margaret, graduated from the University of Michigan. Congratulations to all of the Longs! The father is minister of the Christian Church in Nelsonville.

On the campus last month for the first time in many years was MARSHALL L. FAWCETT, 2-yr., vice president and general manager of the Foley-Carter Realty Co. in St. Petersburg, Fla. He was accompanied by his brother, DWIGHT A. FAWCETT, '13, 2-yr., of Oak Park, Ill., now assistant vice president of the New York Central System, with headquarters in Chicago. The two visitors are brothers of DONALD F. FAWCETT '20x.

1912

MRS. FLORENCE MIESSE STEELE, 2-yr., of Chillicothe, whose husband, Carlos Steele, died Feb. 25, 1949, reports that she is taking an active part in Republican political affairs, having been a delegate to the Women's Republican State Convention at Columbus this fall. She expects to spend the coming spring months of January, February and March at St. Petersburg, Fla. Mrs. Steele also gave the Alumni Office a hitherto unreported word of the death of Mrs. Don Wiseman (WINONA SHANE, '14, 2-yr.), last February, in Parkersburg, W. Va.

1913

No longer engaged in teaching, Mrs. John G. Cook (CARRIE RICKETTS) is giving much of her time to church work these days. She is secretary of Christian Social Relations of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Church. From July 31 to August 9 she attended a conference in Nashville, Tenn., the theme of which was "Christian Foundations for a World Order." In October, she was sent as a delegate to the National Methodist Conference on Family Life which was held

in Chicago. Mrs. Cook was for many years head of the English Department of the State Teachers College in Frostburg, Md. Her husband died in May, 1948.

#### 1914

Belief of DR. SAMUEL RENSHAW, of the Department of Psychology at Ohio State University, that people should be able to read a magazine article in five minutes instead of 20 was the theme, November 2, of "The Ohio Story," the radio program sponsored by the Ohio Bell Telephone Co. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening over a state-wide network of fifteen stations. Entitled "Dr. Renshaw's Split Second," the program described the method of visual training which made the Renshaw Recogni-



HAROLD R. DANFORD

(See Class of 1932 Notes)

tion System so successful in its use by the U. S. Navy in World War II. Men were trained to recognize air craft and ships in 1-100th of a second.

#### 1915

ARTHUR H. BRAINERD, director of lighting service for the Philadelphia Electric Company, with Mrs. Brainerd (ZELLA B. KNOLL, '14), attended the sessions of the Commission Internationale de l'Eclairage, held in Stockholm June 26-July 5. The picture (preceding page) was taken on the deck of the Swedish-American liner, *Gripsholm*, enroute to Stockholm. Mrs. Brainerd is the lady in the center of the group with hand extended. Mr. Brainerd is third from the right in the picture. President of the U. S. Committee of the International Commission on Illumination, a body which in peace time meets at three-year intervals, Mr. Brainerd, with his wife, attended sessions of the I.C.I. in Paris in 1948 and the last previous meeting, at Scheveningen, Holland, in 1939.

GEORGE F. FRANZ was honored by fellow teachers and school administrators in Cincinnati last spring immediately prior to his retirement after a half century of educational service, the last 10 years of which were rendered in suburban Avondale. Mr. Franz had been associated with the Cincinnati schools since 1912, but began his teaching career at Laurel as a youth of 19. He holds a master's degree from the University of

Cincinnati and has studied at the University of Chicago.

#### 1916

RALPH M. HENRY, 2-yr., has been named advertising manager of the Florida Citrus Commission at Lakeland, Fla. Mr. Henry has been associated with the Commission since 1942, having been located in Cleveland, Cincinnati, Philadelphia and New York. In 1948, he was appointed merchandising director and sent to the Commission headquarters in Lakeland. In his new position he will direct the placing of \$2,000,000 worth of advertising in various media each season.

#### 1918

DR. M. LAVINIA WARNER, director of Blossom Hill School in Brecksville, a Cleveland suburb, was the 1950-1951 president of the Ohio Welfare Conference and presided over the group's 61st annual meeting in Columbus earlier this year. Miss Warner is a former member of the Ohio University faculty.

DR. OTTO A. DEARTH, a former Cincinnati physician and assistant professor of anatomy at the University of Cincinnati Medical School, is now engaged in private practice in Portsmouth.

#### 1919

THOMAS M. WOLFE is president and a director of the Athens National Bank, and secretary-treasurer and a director of the Sugar Creek Coal & Mining Co. and the Millfield Coal & Mining Company. He is also a lecturer in Ohio University's College of Commerce. Mrs. Wolfe is the former Edna Endley, at one time a member of the School of Home Economics faculty.

Mr. O. A. BURTON and Mrs. Burton (BELLE SHIPPS, '18), Pickerington, have a renewed interest in their alma mater now that their son, Bruce, is enrolled as a Freshman at Ohio University. A former school administrator, Mr. Burton is now a representative of the Mayflower Insurance Company of Columbus, a company of which U. S. Senator John W. Bricker and JOHN W. GALBREATH, '20, are principal officers. The Burtons have another child, Carol, who is now Mrs. Jack Dugan.

#### 1920

MARY ANTORIETTO, on leave of absence from her Ohio University position as University recorder, is enjoying a year in the West. After rather lengthy visits in San Diego, Calif. and Phoenix, Ariz., she has recently gone to Clackamas, Ore. for a visit with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Burke (JOSEPHINE ANTORIETTO, '13, 2-yr.), and family.

#### 1921

WALTER J. CAMERON is a district sales representative of the Bucyrus-Erie Company of South Milwaukee, Wisc. His territory includes Eastern New Mexico, Central and Western Texas, Oklahoma and South Kansas. He and Mrs. Cameron and their two boys live in Tulsa, Okla. The B-E Co. is a leading producer of excavating machinery. Mrs. Cameron is the former Pauline Keeney of Wooster. Many Ohio University faculty members, and doubtless many Ohio U. alumni, are familiar with the Keeney Cafeteria in Wooster which is operated by Mrs. Cameron's father and where the world's best chicken dinners (the editor's opinion) are to be had.

#### 1922

A letter written November 18 in London,

England, by JULIAN M. "NOBBY" SNYDER, vice president of a leading New York advertising firm, Erwin, Wassey & Co., told of a recent interesting experience of the writer. "Through a friend," Mr. Snyder wrote, "I was admitted to the Conservative Party Headquarters on election night when the returns were coming in. The reactions, when gains were reported, were so restrained that I concluded the Conservatives were losing the election. As I left about 1:30 a.m. I was introduced to the vice chairman of the Party, Mr. Armstrong. 'How is it going?,' I asked cautiously. To my amazement, he replied quite casually, as one would about the weather, 'Oh, the Socialist Government is out.' In America, as you know, there would have been a lot of whooping and



MRS. TOM SLATER AND CHILDREN

(See Class of 1930 Notes)

back-thumping. But, not here." Mr. Snyder is now back in "the good old U.S.A."

#### 1923

Drawings by BERNARDA BRYSON, ex, former Athenian and wife of modernist artist Ben Shahn, are appearing at regular intervals in *Harper's*, a magazine of national circulation. Miss Bryson has imaginative line drawings illustrating the article, "People Leave Skulls with Me," by Loren C. Eiseley, chairman of the Department of Anthropology at the University of Pennsylvania, in the May issue of the magazine. Her work has appeared in eleven other issues. The artist-illustrator attended Ohio State University and the Cleveland Art School after leaving Ohio U. Her husband, who is regarded as one of the leading contemporary artists of the country, will be one of two outstanding artists to conduct special painting classes at Ohio University next summer. Mr. Shahn will give instruction, July 7-18, as a part of the special offerings of the 1952 Summer School. Mr. and Mrs. Shahn live in Roosevelt, N. J., and are the parents of three children. Miss Bryson, professionally, that is, is the daughter of the late CHARLES H. BRYSON, '11.

DEWITT DONEY is comptroller of the Yarbrough Construction Company in Austin, Tex.

#### 1924

HELEN M. EVANS, a former critic teacher in the Ohio University Elementary School and now executive head of Beechwood School



in Beechwood Village, near Cleveland, was a member of the summer school faculty of Winthrop College at Rock Hill, S. C. In addition to her Beechwood duties, Miss Evans will teach part-time at Fenn College in Cleveland this winter.

DR. ROBERT W. HAWS is an assistant professor in the College of Education at Ohio State University. Dr. Haws received his Ph.D. degree from Ohio State in 1947. His wife is the former LUCILLE MILLS, '25

1925

MRS. DOROTHY HALL PAINTER, A.B. '25, A.M. '43, is a teacher in Bluefield, Virginia. The title of her Ohio University master's thesis was "Negro Poetry in American Literature



WILLIAM B. COOPER  
(See Class of 1934 Notes)

1926

Mrs. Richard M. Shaw (MARIE HERBERT) is a resident of Lakewood. Her husband, an engineering draftsman, is head of the Sales-Drafting Department of the Bailey Meter Company in Cleveland.

J. GORDON MORROW, editor and publisher of the Wellston Sentinel, was elected president of the Southeastern Ohio Newspaper Association at the second annual show and clinic held at Ohio University November 17. Twenty-four of the 30 newspapers in the Association were represented at the sessions.

MRS. BERNEICE HUMBLE MICHAEL, of Garden City, N. Y., is an assistant in administration for the Girl Scout Council of Greater New York

1927

WILLIAM F. CONRAD sailed with his wife and seven-year-old son from New York City, September 28, for Cairo, Egypt on a United Nations assignment. He returned home last December from Greece where he was head of the Food and Agriculture Division of the U. S. Economic Cooperation Administration. Following his return from Greece he served as State Department economic officer for the Office of Greece, Turkey and Iran. His services were loaned to U.N. by the State Department for the Cairo assignment, which is with the U.N. Palestine Refugee Agency.

Mr. Conrad is a former instructor in economics at Ohio University. He resigned the Ohio U. position in 1931 to accept a position with the Federal Trade Commission in Washington. During World War II, he was with the War Food Administration in charge of coordinating all military food and agriculture requirements. Immediately following the war he went to London with the American Economic Mission. He returned to Washington to become secretary of the Combined Food Board and economic advisor to the director of the Rural Electrification Administration.

1928

ANNE N. LEINT, for many years a teacher in North High School, Columbus, is now retired and living in Circleville.

MAYNARD R. MCDANIEL was called to Athens, December 6, by the death of his aunt, MRS. A. A. ATKINSON (see Class of 1891 note). Mr. McDaniel is in his ninth year as an instructor in the Industrial Arts Department of Middletown High School, where his subjects are chiefly in the field of electrical engineering. His wife is the former PHYLLIS MCCLAIN, A.B. '22, A.M. '44

1929

"Our Oldtown Cash Grocery is the biggest little grocery store in Northern Idaho," writes BELFORD B. NELSON. The "our" in the statement refers to himself and Mrs. Nelson, who is the former Cornelia Chambers and a onetime head resident of Ohio University's Lindley Hall. Mr. Nelson is a former instructor in psychology at Ohio University. In a further description of their retail merchandising enterprise Mr. Nelson writes that their store is "thirty-nine feet from the Washington state line, and is the only one in a radius of eleven taverns and one laundry. We are three hours from glorious Glacier Park and an eight-hour drive from Banff and Lake Louise, all of which we visited the past summer. From our front door we see Albeni Falls dam on the Pend Oreille River and we think of the O.C.G. as the best store by a dam site."

MARLETTE C. COVERT has been advanced to the position of comptroller of the Organic Chemicals Division of the Monsanto Chemical Corporation in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Covert, husband of the former CAROLYNE CHRISTY '30, joined Monsanto in 1947 as statistician. In that capacity he formulated a chart program for graphic presentation of accounting and other information. Previously he was comptroller of the White-Haines Optical Co. of Columbus. He holds an M.B.A. degree from the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

1930

THOMAS G. SLATER, ex. of Manhasset, N. Y., vice president of Ruthrauff & Ryan, Inc., a leading advertising agency in New York City, was one of the eastern representatives of the Alumni Public Relations Committee at a meeting in Athens on November 11. The committee, composed of approximately a dozen men and women who are prominent in public relations activities in the East and Midwest, was appointed by President John C. Baker to assist in developing a program for Ohio University's sesquicentennial observance in 1954 and to advise in other matters involved in spreading the name and fame of the University. Tom has taught at and served on public relations staffs at Northwestern and Miami universities and at Western College for Women in Oxford. He

is a former special events director for station WOR and the Mutual Broadcasting Co. in Newark, N. J. In 1946, he received the Radio Daily Award, a silver trophy for the "person who has done most to bring credit and honor to the sports broadcasting profession during the year." He also won the 1946 National Headliners Club award for "the best special events broadcast of the year" for his work with Mutual in broadcasting Army experiments in which radar contact was made with the moon. During World War II, in addition to his regular activities, Tom participated in Treasury Department bond drives, blood donor campaigns, and camp entertainment all over the country, for which he received the Treasury Department Silver Medal. He was made an "honorary Colonel" by the officer-



WILLIAM M. SMITH  
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and men of Fort Dix, N. J. for his organization and long-time production of the radio program "This is Fort Dix." The New York man married Helen Knight, a Miami University alumna who, with their three children, is pictured on page 20. Left to right in the picture are Steve, 8; Tom, Jr., 13; Mrs. Slater; and Stu, 6.

DR. JOHN E. EDWARDS, B.S. in Physics, '30, A.M. '32, of the Ohio University Physics Department, attended a symposium on the Role of Engineering in Atomic Energy Development held at Oak Ridge, Tenn., early in September. The conference dealt mainly with atomic energy instruction in engineering schools and the economic aspects of atomic power. . . . Snow which fell in Athens early in November was found, by analyses made by Dr. Edwards, to be many times more radioactive than normal due to A-bomb tests then being made in Nevada. Assurance was given to the public by the Ohio University faculty man, however, that "the intensity was not sufficient to be of any danger whatsoever to human beings." One gallon of melted snow was used in an ionization-chamber radiation detector. The analysis showed that when the liquid was poured through filter paper almost ninety percent of the radioactive material remained on the paper and did not filter through. In case of wide scale atomic attack, Doctor Edwards said this would be of advantage to cities such as Athens where the water supply is filtered





DORIS DISHON  
(See Class of 1949 Notes)

1931

"A New Systematic Presentation of the Planetary Wind Systems of the Earth" was the title of a paper read by LYLE R. FLETCHER, assistant professor of geography and geology at Bowling Green University, at a session of the Central Ohio Meteorological Society in Columbus on November 27. A climatologist, Professor Fletcher served during World War II as an Army Air Forces consultant on earth physics. He is a vice president of the Ohio Academy of Science and the immediate past president of the Ohio Council of Geography Teachers.

CLYDE R. BATTIN, a teacher in Roosevelt Junior High School and a former football and basketball coach at South High School in Ohio's capital city, was the football banquet speaker in Middleport last month where some twenty years ago he coached the Middleport Yellow Jackets to their first Southeastern Ohio League football championship. Mr. Battin is a brother of Mrs. Ned Bixler (JANICE BATTIN '26), now acting dean of women at Ohio University.

1932

HAROLD R. DANFORD (see picture on page 20) is the newly-elected executive secretary of the National Association of Insurance Agents. Formerly, for six years, director of the Educational Division of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies in New York City, Mr. Danford gave up that position in 1949 to reside in Florida because the health of one of his children called for a warmer climate. He received a master's degree from Boston University in 1936, and spent more than a year at New York University working on a doctorate. He taught in a junior high school at Auburn, Me., 1934-36; in the high school at Hingham, Mass., 1936-40; and at Connecticut State Teachers College, Danbury, 1940-43. At Clearwater, Fla., he was supervisor of health, physical education and safety education in the fifty-nine schools of the Pinellas County system. In Maine, he was president of the state physical education association. Mr. Danford married the former Virginia Mader of Martins Ferry and is the father of three children.

DR. JAMES F. CORWIN, A.B. '32, A.M. '34, professor of chemistry at Antioch Col-

lege, has been appointed to membership on the Committee on College Teaching in the Division of Chemical Education of the American Chemical Society.

1933

NEAL MOATS is assistant cashier of the First National Bank in Morgantown, W. Va. He was at one time associated with the Parkersburg National Bank in his home town of Parkersburg.

CARLOS DE ARRAZOLA, ex, of Baranquilla, Colombia, S. A., is a member of the Governor's cabinet in the state of Atlantico in that country. Their son, Mario, is sub-fencing champion of South America.

ROBERT J. MARSH, former executive director of Huntington Hospital Service, Inc., and later associated with the John Marshall Insurance Co. in Huntington, W. Va., is now with Insurance Research Service at 135 S. LaSalle St. in Chicago.

1934

DR. WILLIAM J. BURKE, former associate professor of chemistry at Ohio University, 1946-47, is now head of the Chemistry Department at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City. A Phi Beta at Ohio University, the Utah faculty man received his Ph.D. degree at Ohio State University in 1937.

WILLIAM B. COOPER (see picture) has been appointed to the newly-created position of sales manager of engineered products for the American Radiator & Standard Sanitary Corp., with headquarters in Pittsburgh, Pa. He will head a new department handling the sale of air conditioning, cooling and specialized heating equipment. Bill, who has a broad background in the engineering and sale of air cooling equipment, is a member of the American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers and the American Society of Refrigeration Engineers. He is the son of the late William Hawthorne Cooper, for many years head of dramatics and public speaking at Ohio University, and MRS. BENITA BUELL COOPER, '41x, and a brother of Mrs. Samuel Downer (JESSIE COOPER, '38), Colorado Springs, Colo., and DAVID V. COOPER, '46x, Shaker Heights.

1935

When JOHN T. McLEAN, ex, read President Baker's column on "Our Athletic Policies and Traditions," in the October issue of *The Ohio Alumnus*, he was so favorably impressed with it that he passed it along to the sports editor of the *Kansas City Star*, who reproduced a substantial portion of the statement in his own column under the heading, "The Athletic Policy at Ohio University." Mr. McLean is assistant sales promotion manager of the Butler Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo., manufacturers of steel products, with factories in five states.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. C. H. Lemon (ELIZBETH HYRE), and their three children are living in Layton, Utah, while Sgt. Lemon is on assignment to Hill Air Force Base near Ogden. The Lemons were for 15 months residents of Furstenfeldbruck, near Munich in Bavaria, Germany.

1936

KATHERINE ENLOW, health and physical education teacher in the Athens city schools

for nine years, resigned her position last summer to accept a similar one in the Toledo school system.

LIEUT. COL. A. ROBERT STACY, detail officer for Officer Personnel of Marine Aviation at the U. S. Marine Corps headquarters in Washington, D. C., has recently been promoted to the rank of full colonel. Entering the Marine Corps immediately after graduation, he served with the F.M.F. in China in 1937. In 1939, he received his wings in Naval Flight Training at Pensacola, Fla. During World War II, he won the Legion of Merit for duty with the First Marine Air Wing in Guadalcanal. He later served as air officer on the staff of the Fleet Task Force during the Okinawa operation. For two years following the end of the war he was commanding officer of the Marine Air Squadron at the Port Columbus Naval Air Station in Columbus. For another period of two years he was executive officer of the Air Technical School at Quantico, Va. His present duties were assumed in January of 1950. Colonel and Mrs. Stacy have three children—Anne, 11; James, 7; and Sharon, 5. Their home is in Arlington, Va. The Marine Corps officer is a brother of VAUGHN E. STACY, '34, Toledo, and Mrs. Richard A. Evans (HELEN STACY, '38), Lowell.

Jessie Pergin, R.N., who was employed for two years as a visiting nurse by the New York City Health Department, visited her mother, MRS. DORIS PARKS PERGIN, in Nelsonville this fall enroute to San Diego, Calif., where she had accepted a similar position. The mother is a teacher in Nelsonville High School.

1937

CARL W. ROSS, who, for the past three years, has been a geographer with the Research and Development Division of the Office of the Quartermaster General, Department of the Army, in Washington, D. C., is planning a "three months' jaunt through western and southern Europe during the summer of 1952, during which I will visit old friends and places with which I became familiar during World War II."

BORIS S. WOOLLEY, a Torrance, Calif. attorney, is the senior member of the law firm of Woolley & Mewborn.

ROBERT A. MASTERTON was last month promoted from the position of assistant to management in the big F. & R. Lazarus & Co. store in Columbus to that of merchandise counselor of the basement store. Mr. Masterton joined the Lazarus organization as a



MR. AND MRS. WAYNE L. RITTER AND SON  
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stock clerk in 1937, and has risen through a number of varied posts to his present responsible position.

1938

RICHARD R. SELLECK, assistant professor of electrical engineering at Ohio University, holds three degrees from his alma mater—B.S. in Physics, '38; B.S. in Electrical Engineering, '48; and M.S. '51. With Mrs. Selleck's Bachelor of Music degree (she is the former HELEN LOUISE SCHMIDT, '39), the Sellecks are a four-degree family. They have three children, Marcia, 10; Ronald, 7; and Susan, nine months.

E. B. "TED" RALL, JR., a former sales representative of the Graybar Electric Company in Jackson, Mich., is now located in Seattle, Wash. as a district salesman for Shaw-Burton, Inc., a Canton, O. firm.



WILLIAM A. DRAKE, JR.  
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BETTY M. WAGNER is in her fourth year as an instructor in physical education at Oberlin College.

1939

JOE F. QUISENBERRY, who is with the Correction Branch of the Adjutant General's Department of the Army in Washington, D. C., was this fall promoted to the rank of major. The Army man is a brother of ROGER C. QUISENBERRY, '42, assistant professor of electrical engineering at Ohio University.

GEORGE R. GRIFFITHS, former assistant chief of the Employment Branch of the U. S. Maritime Administration in Washington, D. C., is now an organization and methods examiner in the Maritime Administration.

OLIN G. MILHOAN is employed in the construction designing division of the Carbide & Carbon Chemical Division of the Union Carbide Company at South Charleston, W. Va.

HAROLD M. POTTS, B.S.Ed. '39, M.Ed. '49, is superintendent of the Hamilton-Fairfield School at Hamilton.

1940

When a piece of mail directed to GLENN R. MARGARD was returned by the Post Office marked "Deceased," immediate inquiry was

made of REV. WERNER L. MARGARD, '30, as to the authenticity of the report. Happily, like the report of Mark Twain's demise, the report turned out to have been "greatly exaggerated." The gentleman in question is now Dr. Glenn Margard, a resident in the Department of Anesthesiology in Huron Road Hospital, East Cleveland. The brother, Reverend Margard, is in his twentieth year as pastor of the Calvary Evangelical and Reformed Church at Crestline. He is the father of WERNER L. MARGARD, JR., '50, about whom The Ohio Alumnus hopes to have an interesting story later.

G. ALAN SPAULDING, JR., and Mrs. Spaulding (LOUISE GERBER, '38), have moved from Tuscaloosa, Ala., to Miami, Okla., where the former is an industrial engineer for the B. F. Goodrich Company.

1941

LEO C. WILDERMAN, who was associated with the Publicity Department of the University of Connecticut, left the educational institution this fall to become public relations director of Charles A. Haney & Associates, Inc., a firm of fund raising and public relations counselors located in Newtonville, Mass. Currently, Mr. Wilderman is located in Elmira, N. Y., where his company is engaged in raising a million-and-a-quarter dollars for a hospital. The Ohio U. man was pleased to find several fellow Ohioans in Elmira, among them EDWARD L. McCASLIN, '20X, president of the Tuttle Lumber Company in nearby Horseheads; THOMAS E. BYRNE, '31, managing editor of the Elmira Advertiser; and HOWARD PIERCE, '27, sports editor of the Advertiser. The Alumni Office has provided Money Raiser Wilderman with a complete roster of Elmira alumni so that he can increase his acquaintance while in the New York city.

"We're off again. This time Bob has duty in London, England, and I'm going, too. Wild horses couldn't keep me at home. We'll be there two years or so." Thus writes Mrs. Robert H. Mereness (KATHRYN "KAY" CARNES, A.B. '41, A.M. '45), whose husband is to be the public information officer for the North Atlantic and Mediterranean Division of Military Sea Transportation Service, a unified military sea transportation organization which is administered by the Navy. Lieutenant Mereness is a Navy man. He and Mrs. Mereness were stationed in Hawaii prior to their latest move.

1942

Mrs. Milton K. Hahn (MARGY SEMENOW), whose marriage to Mr. Hahn was an event of last January 8, is director of occupational therapy at the Industrial Home for Crippled Children in Pittsburgh, Pa.

LYOYD M. DUNLAP is an agricultural instructor for the San Bernardino County Department of Agriculture at Fontana, Calif. His wife is the former RUTH DICK, '47.

JOHN DOBSON is a partner in the Winton-Dobson Company, a manufacturer's agency in Cleveland.

RICHARD N. MATHENY is an architect with the firm of Sims, Cornelius & Schooley, Columbus architects and engineers.

1943

ROBERT R. TEBOW is assistant to the general agent, W. T. Earls, of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. in Cincinnati. Mrs. Tebow is the former PATRICIA ATZEL, '46X. There are three little Tebows—Sharon, 6; Bobby, 4; and Patty Ann, 3, with a January "expectation."

DONALD SANDERS is in his second year as an English teacher and painting instructor at Jefferson High School, Dresden. Prior to taking this position he taught vocal and instrumental music in the South Zanesville schools.

CLARENCE B. COVER, ex., is assistant dean of Muskingum College at New Concord. He received his master's degree from Ohio State and during World War II was an instructor at the Naval Air Base, Jacksonville, Fla. His wife is the former MARILYN MAGNESS, '43.

EDWARD A. SINCLAIR is a research chemist for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company in Akron. He and Mrs. Sinclair (HELEN SUSI, '43) live in not-so-far-away Kent.

J. MACK TAYLOR is a writer in the Press Department of the Borden Company in New York City. He has previously been associated with the Westinghouse Electric Corp.



LIEUT. GLENN A. HOFFER  
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1944

as a publicity writer and as a staff man with International News Service in Pittsburgh, Pa.

1945

Mrs. SHELIA GRAHAM MORRISON, B.S.Ed. '45, A.M. '47, is working on a doctorate in speech correction at Ohio State University and teaching in the Speech Department. Her husband, ROBERT C. MORRISON, '49X, a graduate of the University of Florida is a consultant, in Columbus, for the Crippled Children's Society of Ohio. Mrs. Morrison is the daughter of MILES M. GRAHAM, '14, Logan.

O. R. KIRACOFE, A.M., former principal of Troy High School in Coolville, is now principal of Amity High School, near Mt. Vernon. His wife is the former MAJEL CHAPMAN '27.

EDWARD EVANS, JR., is reported to have received a Ph.D. degree at the University of Southern California last June. He received the M.S. degree from Ohio State University in 1947. The Alumni Office is not aware of his present location and activities.

1946

Mrs. ANDREW J. CLARK, M.Ed., is a teacher and principal of the Wood County School in Parkersburg, W. Va. She received her A.B. degree from Glenville (W. Va.)



State College in 1943. The title of her master's thesis was "The County Unit Versus the Magisterial District System of Taxation and School Administration as Developed in West Virginia."

ALFRED J. KANDIK is a clinical psychologist in Sioux City, Iowa. He is associated with two neuro-psychiatrists, Dr. F. H. Pugh and Dr. Fred Stark. Mrs. Kandik is the former ESTHER FRUEND, '42.

BARBARA RAMSEY is teaching vocal music in the public schools of Hammond, Ind.

1947

LIEUT. WILLIAM R. CARROLL is one of the many men now in Korea who is hoping that present truce negotiations will be successfully concluded. Bill, in a recent letter, commented, "I jumped from the frying pan into the fire six months ago—was flying the Korean Air



PATRICIA ANN MOORE  
(See Class of 1950 Notes)

Lift and am now in a combat cargo outfit in Korea. My year of duty was up six weeks ago but was extended another six months."

BENJAMIN FULTON, a co-pilot for Pan-American Airways, has been joined by his wife, the former SYLVIA SCHULER, '46x, in London, England. Pilot Fulton flies the Beirut-Hongkong run, but due to a company policy for housing airline personnel, he and Mrs. Fulton live in London.

1948

WILLIAM M. "WILLIE" MACKAY SMITH (see picture), a well-known campus dance bandsman in his undergraduate days, is still engrossed in music. Following a stint as announcer and music director, respectively, for radio stations in Parkersburg and Clarksburg, W. Va., immediately after graduation, he became a member of Ray Wetzel's Quintet for a while and then went to New York City where he joined the Bobby Sherwood Orchestra. In August of 1949, he decided to continue the graduate work that he had already started at Ohio U. and enrolled at Ohio State University. At the latter school he directed the Jimmy Joyce Orchestra and was active in the O.S.U. Concert Band and the Symphony Orchestra. He was also a member of the staff of Ohio State's radio station WOSU and was assistant last year to the director of the Institute for Education by Radio. He received his M.A. degree last March and, until October, was music director

for Station WVKO in Columbus. He is now with the Crosley Broadcasting Company's Television Station WLWC "doing announcing and various and sundry bits on camera." He is also playing with the Columbus Little Symphony. The picture of Bill at the tympani was taken by WILMER S. GOFF, '49, a Columbus Dispatch photographer, during a rehearsal of the symphony group. The Columbus musician married Beverly Stroud of Amarillo, Tex., a year ago last month. Mrs. Smith is doing special assignments for the Columbus Citizen.

Pictured on page 22 are WAYNE "TEX" RITTER and Mrs. Ritter (DORIS STANDING, also of the Class of 1948), and their eleven-months-old son, Gary, in front of their home near Library, Pa. Wayne was recently made supervisor in the Pittsburgh district for American Home Foods (Clapp's Baby Food, G. Washington Coffee, Duff Cake Mixes, Chef Bon-ar-Dee Spaghetti, etc.). As one of his off-duty activities, he is Explorer advisor to the local group of Boy Scouts.

EMERY J. SMECK, a certified public accountant, maintains an office in the Kern County Land Company Building in Bakersfield, Calif. Immediately following graduation he was associated with Thompson, Moss & Co. in Los Angeles.

EUGENE B. GIFFIN, who received the B.S. degree in Architectural Engineering at Ohio University, is now associated with the Real Estate Department of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company in Akron. His work consists of the design of new and the modernization of existing Goodyear buildings. Mr. Giffin married a Lancaster girl and they recently purchased one of the homes in Cuyahoga Falls erected by JACK W. HESLOP, '39. For further news of the Giffins, see "Births."

1949

Many recent honors have come to NANCY TROUP in her work as a home economist with the International Harvester Company. Attached, until recently, to the I.H.'s Toledo office, Miss Troup was in September designated the company's "Demonstrator of Distinction." Besides routine type promotion, Nancy develops many special programs such as home freezer demonstrations with fall festivals, spring fashion shows, valentine parties, etc. Not just a few hundred, but one to two thousand persons often appear at her parties. So successful is she that she received a six-weeks' assignment to Chicago during the opening of the I.H. showroom in that city. Just last month Miss Troup was transferred (and promoted) to the Buffalo, N. Y., office. Before joining International Harvester she was home economics director in Findlay for the Ohio Light and Power co.

WILLIAM A. DRAKE (see picture), a photography major at Ohio University, is now on the staff of the Department of Photography at Ohio State University where his particular field is that of motion picture production. He assists in the making of motion pictures for various departments of the university—medical, athletic, publicity, etc. There are also teaching "or how to do it" films and "incentive" films, to interest new students in particular fields. The department also does a lot of documentary and research work. The making of high speed and time lapse films comes under the latter. High speed equipment is used for extreme slow motion, while time lapse equipment is used for speeding up action, the growth of plants, for example.

DORIS DISHON (see picture), now teaching English and Spanish in Gallup, N. M., which she described as "the Indian

capital of the world," probably didn't pick the wildest "bronc" in the corral for purposes of the picture. She learned to ride at the ranch of friends and reports that, "A year ago I was thrown off a strawberry roan and lit on my face. My glasses hit my nose hard and so I started to school with two beautiful black eyes. However, it was a wonderful experience!" . . . "There are several Indian tribes who have their reservations around here," she writes. The main ones are the Navajo and the Zuni. They both still wear their native costumes. Most Indian children go to government schools; that is, those who go to school. I haven't as yet learned any of the Indian languages . . . The Spanish that is spoken here is not at all like what I learned at Ohio University. It is a mixture of Mexican, Indian, and English, with a little Italian thrown in. And it is just as difficult to teach them cor-



LIEUT. ROBERT L. MARTIN  
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rect Spanish as it is to teach them correct English."

1950

LIEUT. GLENN A. HOFFER (see picture page 23) was wounded in action, October 29, while with the 24th Infantry Division in Korea. He suffered a shrapnel wound in the left cheek from Chinese mortar fire. A personal communication received by the Alumni Secretary from the young officer gave assurances of a recovery from the injuries and reported that he had again rejoined his unit at the front. He had been in Korea only twelve days when he became a casualty. A journalism major and a reserve officer, Lieutenant Hoffer was on the staff of the Salem (Ohio) News when recalled to active duty early this year. In his letter, he reported that LIEUT. JOSEPH H. RAPP, '51x, is now with the Second Infantry Division in Korea.

PHARMACIST'S MATE 2-C HOMER B. GALL, has arrived back in the U.S. after almost a year in Korea with the First Marine Division.

PATRICIA A. MOORE (see picture) has completed her training and is now a stewardess for American Airlines, flying the company's DC-6 and Convair Flagships that operate out of Love Field, Dallas, Tex. Prior to joining the air lines, Miss Moore was a kindergarten teacher in South Euclid. Her instruction at the company's training center in Chicago included the fundamentals



of the theory of flight, meteorology, air line schedules, flight operations, and radio.

Major Randall Kelly, husband of VIRGINIA SLAVEN KELLY, has returned to The States with a Silver Star medal awarded for heroism and inspirational leadership in Korea. He was serving as captain of an infantry company at the time of the service for which recognition was given. Mrs. Kelly, with their two children, Randy, 4, and Judith, seven-months, have resided in Athens during Major Kelly's overseas service. He came to Athens four years ago as an instructor of National Guard units in this area. He has had 13½ years of Army service. Major and Mrs. Kelly were in Heidelberg, Germany, before coming to Athens.

## 1951

SECOND LIEUT. ROBERT L. MARTIN, ex (see picture), has been declared missing in action in Korea. Lieutenant Martin, son of Mrs. Jane Martin, Garretttsville, was pilot of an F-80 jet fighter plane which crashed behind enemy lines August 24 while on an armed reconnaissance mission. An Air Force spokesman said that "in all probability, he perished in the crash, but his fate is not officially known." Fellow pilots were unable to observe signs of life when they circled the scene of the crash. Although the unofficial report bears little hope, the Alumni Office will not post the name of Lieutenant Martin on its Gold Star Roster for the time being. The Ohio University man had been flying missions since last July, the last one being staged from Kimpoo Air Force Base to enemy targets in the Suchow area.

As in the case of a number of men now in military service, copies of *The Ohio Alumnus* were being mailed to LIEUT. BERNARD P. MACK at his home address. A service address has been provided by Lieutenant Mack's brother, with the suggestion that the magazine be mailed direct to the Army man hereafter. That, of course, is what the Alumni Office prefers to do, and calls upon all Armed Forces personnel to provide service addresses. Lieutenant Mack, incidentally, is at Keesler Air Force Base, near Biloxi, Miss.

MABEL REGINA WILSON, ex, has a secretarial position with the Sterling Finance Co. in Columbus, a subsidiary of the Colonial Acceptance Corp. of Chicago. Prior to taking her present position she was employed by the Ohio Bureau of Credits Corp. in Columbus.

NANCY JOAN CADOT has a secretarial position in the Employee Activities Office of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. in Akron.

LIEUT. JAMES R. RAMSEY, an Army reserve officer, has been recalled to duty and is now serving in Europe.

ROBERT GRIMM, a journalism graduate, is now with the United Press in Columbus. He is working under Aaron Loney, head sports writer for U.P. in Ohio.

# Deaths

## WILLIAM ALFRED WESTERVELT

DR. WILLIAM A. WESTERVELT, '91, died October 30 at his home in Tempe, Ariz. Eighty-one years of age, he had been in ill health for some time.

A native of Columbus, Ohio, Dr. Westervelt received his medical degree in 1895

from Indianapolis (Ind.) Medical College. He practiced medicine in Ohio, principally at Coolville, for 42 years except for a period of active duty in the Spanish-American War, in which he attained the rank of major in the medical corps.

After retirement from professional activity in 1936, he moved to Tucson, Ariz., before going to Tempe five years ago.

Besides his widow, Dr. Westervelt's survivors include two sons, DR. MARCUS W. WESTERVELT, '31, Tempe, and WILLIAM W. WESTERVELT, '34, Tucson, and a brother CHARLES E. WESTERVELT, '92, Columbus.

## EDWIN GLAZIER VAN VALEY

DR. E. G. VAN VALEY, '18x, age 57, died September 1 at a hospital in Ossining, N. Y. An Athens County native, he attended Ohio University, 1914-16, and the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry where he was class valedictorian in 1919.

He was a dentist in New York City for many years, being associated more recently with his son in a combined dental practice. The father's home was in suburban Briarcliff Manor.

Dr. Van Valet was prominent in his professional field. He was an attending dentist at the New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital, was former president of the New York Academy of Dentistry, a member of the Inter-Relation Committee of the New York Academy of Medicine, honorary member of the American Dental Society of Europe, a fellow of the American College of Dentistry, a member of the New York Institute of Clinical Oral Pathology and the Biological Photographic Association. For the past five years he had lectured weekly at the University of Pennsylvania School of Dentistry.

The New York man was a brother of Mrs. J. E. Saugstad (GLADYS VAN VALEY, '13, 2-yr.), Washington, D. C.

## ELIZABETH RUTH BAILEY

ELIZABETH "BETTY" BAILEY, '26x, died of a heart attack at her apartment in Pittsburgh, Pa., on or about November 22. Found dead in the bathtub, an autopsy revealed a coronary occlusion and a fracture at the base of her skull, the latter occurring, presumably, from a fall.

Miss Bailey attended Ohio University for three years, 1922-25, and had been an interior decorator for the Joseph B. Horne Co. in Pittsburgh for the past 10 years. She had previously been associated with the D. Zenner Co., in Athens, and with Stone and Thomas, a department store in Wheeling, W. Va.

Survivors include her father, four sisters, and a brother. Three sisters and the brother are Ohio University alumni. They are: Mrs. C. M. Bowman (ELEANOR BAILEY, '29x) and Mrs. Morrison Burns (CLARA BELLE BAILEY, '34x) of Athens; Mrs. Jack Moore (BETSY BAILEY, '45x), Portsmouth; and JOHN E. BAILEY, JR., '42, Washington C. H.

## CLARA D. THOMPSON

Mrs. Clara D. Thompson, an instructor in voice at Ohio University for nine years, 1913-22, and widow of the late Dr. Alexander S. Thompson, who was director of the School of Music during that period, died last May 31 in Claremont, Calif. Dr. Thompson died in Claremont in 1934.

Although neither of these former faculty members was an Ohio U. alumnus, the report of their deaths will be sad news to many graduates and former students who knew them.

# Engagements

PHYLLIS TARTER, '49, Youngstown, social worker with the Mahoning County Welfare Department, to Bernard Sgal, Youngstown, purchasing agent for an industrial concern.

JACQUELYN "JACKIE" DEEM, Athens, Ohio University senior, to THEODORE P. "TED" BLOWER, Athens, Ohio University junior. Mr. Blower is the son of Mrs. SARA STIFF BLOWER, '26, 2-yr.

JANET BROWN, '50 (see picture), Gallipolis, home economics teacher, Washington School, to DOUGLAS J. WETHERHOLT, '51, Gallipolis, a reporter-photographer-engraver.



JANET BROWN

for the Daily Jeffersonian (Cambridge). Miss Brown and Mr. Wetherholt are looking forward to a wedding next June.

Dora Starkey, Athens, dental assistant to DR. C. M. BOWMAN, '27, to WILLIAM C. BROCE, '51, Steubenville, teacher (Bourneville).

LOIS ANN CAMPBELL, Williamsport, Ohio University junior, to RICHARD L. ANDERSON, Mr. Sterling, Ohio University senior. Mr. Anderson is a cadet lieutenant colonel in the R.O.T.C.

ANNE GUCKENBERGER, Cincinnati, a graduate assistant in human relations, Ohio University, to ALVIN E. LINDHOLM, '51, Collingsdale, Pa., also an Ohio University graduate student. Miss Guckenberger holds an A.B. degree from Illinois Wesleyan University.

CONSTANCE PAPAONE, Philadelphia, Pa., an Ohio University junior, to MICHAEL BRIGLIA, '51, Yorkville, an Ohio University graduate student in the field of physical education and industrial arts.

MARGARET CHENEY, '47, Wilmington, Del., associated with the Bureau of Interior Decoration, Armstrong Cork Co. (Lancaster, Pa.), to Robert W. Heckler, also of Wilmington, associated with the Philco Corporation (Philadelphia, Pa.).

# Marriages

Eleanor Willis, Canton, teacher, Horace Mann School, to THOMAS E. PITTS, '50, Canton, time study engineer, Timken Roller Bearing Co., August 5. At home: Canton.

Marjory Zimmerman, Martins Ferry, a graduate of West Liberty (W. Va.) State Teachers College and a teacher in Martins Ferry's Elm School, to JACK W. JONES, '50, Martins Ferry, junior accountant, Tri-State Asphalt Corp., August 26. At home: 706 Washington, Martins Ferry.

The former LOIS COOPER, '50 (see picture), Lorain, is one of the "picture later"



MRS. HARRY A. CURTIS, JR.

brides whose weddings were announced in the October *Alumnus*. The editor is happy to have the picture for publication at this time. The Ohio University alumna is now the wife of Harry A. Curtis, Jr., of Lorain, who is associated with the B. F. Goodrich Co.

Nancy Ann Worstell, Chagrin Falls, senior, Flora Stone Mather College, (Cleveland), to DONALD W. PRIDEAUX, '50, Cleveland Heights, Purchasing Department, Sherwin-Williams Company (Cleveland). September 8. At home: Milverton Road, Shaker Heights.

EDDINE McCUSKEY, '50, Cambridge, with the Franklin County Welfare Dept. (Columbus), to FREDERICK W. BRILL, '50, Zanesville, student, Ohio State University, and associated with the Ohio Malleable Iron Co. (Columbus), June 2. At home: 136 West Tenth Ave., Columbus.

RUTH ELLA MOLL, '50, Xenia to Paul F. Huston, Xenia, an Ohio State University graduate, now with Owens-Corning Fiberglas, Inc. (Newark). September 7. At home: 29 Pearl St., Newark. The groom was twice captain of Ohio State's basketball team, receiving all-America honors, and later played with the Chicago Stags, a professional basketball team.

MARJORIE WENTZ, '47, Mansfield, secretarial position, Standard Oil Co., to Paul A. Dahlen, Moline, Ill., a graduate of Iowa

State University, now a designer in the Engineering Division of The Hoover Company (North Canton), September 22. At home: 4840 1/2 Cleveland Ave., North Canton.

Jane Bray, Milford, Conn., a graduate of the University of Cincinnati School of Nursing, to RICHARD T. PATTON, '48, Washington C. H., manager, Patton Book Store. At home: 322 1/2 Leesburg Ave., Washington C. H.

Esther Jane Snodgrass, Claysville, Pa., a graduate of Muskingum College and a high school teacher (Fredericktown), to EDWARD A. WHITEMORE, '48, Fredericktown, industrial arts teacher and assistant principal, Fredericktown High School, August 24.

Marie Andrie, Garfield Heights, a professional model, to EDWARD J. KAMPERT, '49, Cleveland, architectural engineer with the Austin Company, September 15. At home: 3632 Chelton Road, Shaker Heights.

Joan Boyer, Galion, graduate nurse, Mt. Carmel Hospital (Columbus), to CLARENCE F. CRISSINGER, '49, Galion, with State Highway Department (Ashland), October 7. At home: 88 Samaritan Ave., Ashland.

Maude Halliday O'Brien, a graduate of Denison University and now associated with the Trust Department of the City National Bank & Trust Co. (Columbus), to JOHN F. BOERGER, '49, Worthington, with the National Waterproofing Company (Worthington), September 1.

Betty English, Hillsboro, with the Merchants National Bank, to GEORGE CLAIBOURNE, '50, Hillsboro, Production Control Department, Cincinnati Milling Machine Co. (Wilmington), September 1. At home: 130 S. High Street, Hillsboro.

Marilyn Coleman, Zanesville, formerly with the Bettis Box Company, to GERALD H. BAKER, '51, Philo, junior industrial engineer, Aluminum Company of America (Cleveland), June 22. At home: 3703 Bader, Cleveland.

Lois Powell, The Plains, nurse's aide, Bethesda Hospital (Zanesville), to ROBERT R. EVANS, '51, The Plains, engaged in chemical research with the Pure Oil Company (Crystal Lake, Ill.), August 10. At home: 809 Lake Shore Drive, Crystal Lake, Ill.

BARBARA ANN LAMB, '51x, Lisbon, to LIEUT. JOSEPH KUNDRAT, '51, Mingo Junction, U. S. Air Force, Greenville A.F.B. (Greenville, Miss.), June 9. Mrs. Kundrat is living at 9 1/2 N. Wood Ave., Columbus, and will complete degree work as a medical technician in February.

BARBARA DONALDSON, '51, McDonald secretarial position, Personnel Dept., Wright Field (Dayton), to LIEUT. DONALD D. WORTMAN, '51, Wellston, U. S. Air Force, Dec. 8, 1950. At home: 810 Woodlawn Ave., Springfield.

Sue Hudson, Belpre, with American Viscose Corp. (Parkersburg, W. Va.), to RALPH W. MOODY, '51, Vincent, with Union Carbide and Carbon Corp. (Parkersburg), October 20. At home: 111 Clement Ave., Belpre.

SHARON ROSE, '51, Glouster, teacher (Uhrichsville), to ROBERT E. PIFER, '48, Jackson, advertising manager, Evening Chronicle (Uhrichsville), November 2. At home: 529 N. Uhrich St., Uhrichsville.

Meryl Ann Moritz, Stamford, Conn., to JOHN R. HESS, '44x, Athens, with Sales Department, General Electric Co. (Bridgeport, Conn.), October 20. At home: 609

Huntington Road, Bridgeport, Conn. Mr. Hess, who graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy and the Harvard School of Business Administration, is the son of Dr. J. A. Hess of the Ohio University faculty, and Mrs. MARY WHITCOMB HESS, M.A. '37, and a brother of HARRY A. HESS, '43, with the Warren Teed Drug Co., Columbus.

BEATRICE ZELENZNIK, '49, Shaker Heights, to DONALD F. MORRIS, '51, Martins Ferry, teacher and coach, Mt. Logan School (Chillicothe), October 27. At home: 51 W. Sixth St., Chillicothe. Maid of honor: THERESA ZELENZNIK, '49, 2-yr., the bride's sister.

SUE ROWLAND, '49 (see picture), Athens, secretary with Earl F. Mathews, Inc., general insurance, to Earl F. Mathews, Athens, head of Earl F. Mathews, Inc., November 18. At home: 199 N. Lancaster St., Athens. Mrs.



MRS. EARL F. MATHEWS

Mathews is the daughter of HAL H. ROWLAND, '22x, and Mrs. Rowland (ROSEMARY FISCHER), '22x, Athens, and a sister of ROGER L. ROWLAND, '50, Fort Worth, Tex.

MARTHA WHITLEY, '47, Portsmouth, teacher, to Charles S. Dempsey, Odessa, Tex., a graduate of the University of Texas and now with the Mene Grande Oil Co. (Venezuela), August 19. At home: Mene Grande Oil Co., C.A., Apartado 234, Maracaibo, Venezuela, S.A.

MARTHA BOOTH, '50, McConnellsville, teacher (Upper Sandusky), to Pfc. Edsel D. Miller, McConnellsville, U. S. Marine Corps (Camp Lejeune, N. C.), June 2. At home: Sneads Ferry, N. Car.

RUTH LUEBECK, '49, New York City, teacher, Metropolitan Vocational High School, to Myron R. Gelb, an insurance actuary, June 24. At home: Forest Hills, L. I., N. Y.

MARLAIN WAHLBERG, '50, Cleveland, to CHARLES L. EVANS, '50, Grafton, W. Va., assistant chemist, Research Department, Ansco, photographic manufacturer (Binghamton, N. Y.), August 18. At home: 2736 Watson Boulevard, Apt. 4, Endwell, N. Y.

Bette Pendleton, Hillsboro, with Peoples Bank (Dayton), to JACK B. LENTZ, '50, Ashland, a sanitarium with the Preble County Health Dept. (Eaton), October 12. At home: 734 E. Main St., Eaton.

# Births

The snappy-eyed, alert young man below (see picture) is Timothy John Karavish, son of JOHN J. KARAVISH, '49, and Mrs. Karavish (THEODORA "TEDDY" XANTHOI, '47), 1942 Tuttle Ave., Dayton. The picture was taken at the age of three months. The father is a procurement technician at Wright-Patterson Field. As an undergraduate the mother



TIMOTHY JOHN KARAVISH

was a part-time member of the Alumni Office staff.

Karen Jane to COACH ROBERT M. WREN, '43, and Mrs. Wren (LOIS HULL, '44x), 52 S. Shannon Ave., Athens, November 7. The father is head coach of Ohio University's varsity basketball team.

Eric Manuel to MANUEL E. GONZALEZ, '51, and Mrs. Gonzalez, 351 Knoedler Road, Apt. 1, Pittsburgh, Pa., November 14. Mr. Gonzalez is an architectural engineer with the Rust Engineering Co. The parents are natives of Puerto Rico.

Leslie Ann to GEORGE N. CONSTABLE, '50, and Mrs. Constable, a native of England, 75 N. Benton St., Mansfield, July 28. Mr. Constable, who has recently returned from England, is now a reporter for the *News Journal* in Mansfield.

Raymond Edward, II, to RAYMOND E. HENSHAW, '47x, and Mrs. Henshaw (MARION CALL, '46), 1507 S. Porter Ave., Kirksville, Mo., July 10. Mr. Henshaw is a senior at the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. The mother is now teaching English to Air Force cadets at the Northeast Missouri State Teachers College.

Robert Allen to ROBERT E. MILLER, '50, and Mrs. Miller (MARABEL NEWTON, '49), 301 Homer Street, Clyde, August 23. Mr. Miller is a teacher and football coach in Clyde High School.

Katherine Grant to JAMES H. DYAS, '46, and Mrs. Dyas (DOROTHY TOMPKINS, '43), 84 Christopher St., New York City, March 3. Mr. Dyas is a theater director

A son to ROBERT W. BYERS, '50, and Mrs. Byers (LOIS HINES, '50), 219 N. Walnut St., Logan, in August. Mr. Byers is the Hocking-Vinton County Health Department sanitarian.

Peggy Lee to LIEUT. JOHN W. STACK, '45, and Mrs. Stack (JEAN HERRON, '45x), November 23. The father is a medical officer in the Second Armored Division now in Germany. Mrs. Stack, with the new arrival and two other daughters, is living at 134 Morris Ave., Athens.

William Richard to JOHN D. CLARK, A.B. '48, B.S.Ed. '49, and Mrs. Clark (JANET BRANDLE, '46), 73 Stewart St., Athens, November 20. Mr. Clark is a graduate student at Ohio University. Maternal grandmother: Mrs. Walter Brandle (JEAN TALBOTT, '15, 2-yr.). Chillicothe. Aunt and uncles: PATIENCE BRANDLE, '42, New York City; ROBERT T. BRANDLE, '47, Beaver, Pa.; and WILLIAM H. BRANDLE, '49, Detroit, Mich. The baby was born on the birthday of his uncles (twins), Bob and Bill.

Margaret Virginia to MAJOR ROGER J. JONES, JR., '40, and Mrs. Jones, 98 Elmwood Place, Athens, November 1. Major Jones, an Athens attorney and a reserve officer, is now at Wright-Patterson Field, Dayton. Paternal grandparents: ROGER J. JONES, SR., '13, and Mrs. Jones (MARGARET MOORE, '12, 2-yr.), Athens.

Terry Stephen to ROBERT V. JONES, '50, and Mrs. Jones (SHIRLEY BOIGEGRAIN, '51x), 124 Seventh St., North Canton. Mr. Jones is a laboratory technician with the Republic Steel Company in Canton.

James Matthew to EUGENE B. GIFFIN, '48, and Mrs. Giffin, 1291 Anderson Road, Cuyahoga Falls, November 11. For the father's occupational activity, see the Class of 1948 notes.

Suzanne to BENJAMIN F. BECKLER, JR., '32, and Mrs. Beckler (MARIAN DANFORD, '37x), 811 N. Verdugo, Glendale, Calif., September 3. Mr. Beckler, a civil engineer, is a partner in the engineering firm of Benedict & Beckler. Paternal grandmother: the late Mrs. B. F. Beckler (NORA KING, '99, 2-yr.). There are numerous other relatives on both the father's and mother's sides.

Jory Allen to ASHER R. PACT, B.S. '44, A.B. '47, M.A. '48, and Mrs. Pact, 221 Clifford Court, Madison, Wisc., October 23. Mr. Pact is working on a doctorate at the University of Wisconsin and is also serving at the V. A. Mental Hygiene Clinic in Madison and the V. A. Hospital at Wood, Wisc.

Leslie Ann to PAUL J. GAPP, '50, and Mrs. Gapp (FLORENCE MRAZ, '50), 2577 Steele Ave., Columbus, November 2. Mr. Gapp is a member of the editorial staff of the *Columbus Dispatch*.

Marc David to MILTON D. HOLMES, '48, and Mrs. Holmes (MARY AGNES COPLAND, '47), 3268 W. 73rd St., Cleveland, November 8. A law graduate of Western Reserve University. Mr. Holmes is a Cleveland attorney. Maternal grandmother: Mrs. T. A. Copland (MARY AGNES STEWART, '17), Coolville.

David Lee to VYRNE A. SECHLER, '50, and Mrs. Sechler (BERNADINE BOWEN, '48), Apt. 7, Corner Sixteenth & Dewey, Portsmouth, September 26. Mr. Sechler is an electrical engineer with the Ohio Power Company.

Kathleen to ROBERT F. CURRY, '52x, and Mrs. Curry (NORMA DEJOY, '50), 3259

Scranton Road, Cleveland, April 14. Mr. Curry is a title examiner with the Cuyahoga Title & Trust Co., and a student at the Cleveland-Marshall Law School.

Michael to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Silberstein (SHIRLEY ZWELLING, '50), 60 N. Harding Road, Eastmoor, Columbus, November 1. Mr. Silberstein is vice president of the Columbus Steel Supply Co.

Handsome is the word for Stephen George Reis (see picture), adopted son of ANTHONY M. "TONY" REIS, '38, and Mrs. Reis, Edgemoor Apts., Athens. The little fellow was eight months old when he came to the Reis



STEPHEN GEORGE REIS

home last June. His new daddy is director of student housing and former assistant purchasing agent at Ohio University.

Marsha Lee to DONALD R. RUSSELL, '51, and Mrs. Russell, 2154 Waterbury Road, Lakewood, August 22. Mr. Russell is a methods analyst with the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co.

Donald Leon to Cpl. and Mrs. Donald Adams (BARTHA JO KINSEL, '44x), 91 Maplewood Drive, Athens, November 30. Corporal Adams has recently gone to Germany for military service, while Mrs. Adams is residing in Athens for the present. Maternal grandfather: LEO C. KINSEL, '26, 2-yr., Athens.

Donald to Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Grey (EUPHEMIA SHAW, '42), 375 Wastena Terrace, Ridgewood, N. J., in June. Mr. Grey is treasurer of the Bonded Oil Co.

J. Howard, III, to J. HOWARD HOWE, JR., '39, and Mrs. Howe, 132 Bellevue Ave., Upper Montclair, N. J., October 20. Mr. Howe is an auditor with the Port of New York Authority.

Terry Jean to DALE W. COLLINS, '43, and Mrs. Collins (FLORENCE HOFMANN, '46x), 230 Pheasant Dr., Pittsburgh, Pa., August 28. Mr. Collins is a transportation engineer with Westinghouse.

Jan Louise to DAMON A. RUSSI, '49, and Mrs. Russi, 1335 Hazel Ave., Zanesville, November 1. Mr. Russi is used car manager for the Dutton Motor Co. Mrs. Russi, the former Kay Mahaney, was secretary to Dean of Men Hunkins at Ohio University in 1948-49.



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